





derstood to favor acquiescence with the eight-hour day demand.

In administration circles today it was declared that both the President and the railroad executives seemed to be on the way to an agreement.

So far as the bankers interested in the roads are concerned, one president of a big Eastern line said today that, instead of urging the presidents to accede to the White House demands, bankers were, for the most part, using their influence to support the executives in their insistence upon arbitration.

Some of the executives who might be expected to agree to the White House plan for settlement of the difficulty are said to fear that President Wilson cannot give any positive assurance that the roads can recoup for the additional burden of the eight-hour day.

W. G. Lee, head of the trainmen's brotherhood, expressed the belief that the men would not be held here past tomorrow. A statement issued by the employees' committee charged the railroads with inconsistency in contending for arbitration, although refusing to arbitrate demands of employees on a number of minor roads, not represented directly in the present negotiations, but said to be controlled by the large lines.

Louis W. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway and one of the strongest opponents of the eight-hour day, declared in a statement given out today that many Western roads in particular would have scant earnings next year and that many would be forced into receivership by an eight-hour wage basis.

"This is a time when, instead of being burdened with useless and unneeded expenses, such as are demanded by the brotherhoods, the railroads should receive every encouragement in order to meet the needs of the country," he said. "Such an extra burden as is contemplated by this eight-hour demand would not only cut off all possibility of dividends and extensions, but throw a number of Western railroads into receivership and cripple their usefulness to the territory they serve."

Hale Holden of the Burlington, R. S. Lovett of the Union Pacific and Daniel Willard of the Baltimore & Ohio were at the White House for more than an hour last night.

The railroad executives made public several telegrams from commercial organizations throughout the country upholding arbitration for the settlement of labor disputes and opposing an eight-hour day, such as the employees desire.

**Statement by Brotherhood.**  
The Brotherhood statement said in part:  
"It is true that the executives of the four brotherhoods advocated the passage of the Newlands act and they did so under the mistaken belief (which subsequent experience has shattered) that its terms would be carried out in good faith by the representatives of the companies."

"The sincerity of this new-born and loudly-proclaimed belief, as expressed by the spokesmen of the railway presidents—we stand for the principle of arbitration for the settlement of industrial disputes—is best shown by the attitude of these railway companies who are so loudly proclaiming the virtues of arbitration and the undying adherence thereto; by the attitude of these same companies toward arbitration on a long list of properties which they absolutely own and control, but which they have refused to include in the present negotiations and to men who are so feelingly referred to by the spokesman of the railway presidents."

Here followed list of 64 properties, which the statement said the brotherhood officials sought to include on June 27 to have represented by the railroad managers in the present dispute.

**Quasi-Independents Left Out.**  
"In addition to these," the statement continued, "are a large number of quasi-independent properties largely owned by the same financial powers which we have vainly demanded should be included."

"These properties employ comparatively small numbers of men and on account of the fact that the railway management feel that demands on those properties do not constitute a menace as they do on the larger properties. Therefore the right to their 'day in court' is continuously denied. The actual position of the conference committee and of the presidents above them is that on lines where the men are not strong enough to force a hearing, there is nothing to arbitrate, while on lines where a costly conflict has precipitated, arbitration becomes the dearest principle connected with the settlement of industrial strife."

"It might be pertinent at this time to refer to the fact that the conference committee of managers and their supporters have excluded the army of colored brakemen and firemen employed on the Southern railways from all benefits that might be granted in these negotiations or from all arbitrations that might arise. Are they, or are they not, entitled to their 'day in court'?"

**Others Barred From Arbitration.**  
"Likewise the white firemen employed on those lines where the negro predominates. Why is he excluded from the benefits of this beneficent plan of arbitration?"

"Also the hostlers of 18 of the leading properties that are represented by the conference committee; if arbitration is desirable, why will these companies not grant that boon to those men?"

"The extreme solicitude on the part of the railway presidents for the 80 per cent of unorganized employees and their rights becomes farcical when it is known that on a large number of these lines it is a dischargeable offense on any of their railways for that 80 per cent to take any steps toward organizing for the purpose of bettering their wage or working conditions."

**Bollermakers Get Raise.**  
TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 22.—Two hundred bollermakers and helpers employed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, from Moberly, Mo., to the Pacific Coast, have been granted a wage increase of 34 cents an hour. The average wage of bollermakers will be 40 cents an hour and that of helpers 34 cents an hour. A nine-hour work day will be continued.

**44—Toledo and Return—\$4**  
Aug. 22 and 23. Via Clover Leaf Route. Good in sleeping cars. 415 Olive street.

## One of the Smaller British Guns Speeding Up Its Fire on the Somme



There is not a minute's lull in the work of the smaller guns. It is a hot job for a summer day, and the gunners have stripped off their shirts to be as comfortable as possible. The big guns can afford to take things more slowly—not so the gun shown here, which is firing 3-inch shrapnel shells at the rate of a dozen or more a minute. Empty shells are piled in the right foreground while the stock of loaded ones is on the left.

## Center of Allies in Balkans Advances, Wings Pushed Back

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ment. Italian troops have carried strong Austrian positions in the Tofana area in the Dolomites and in the Travençaz Valley.

## BRITISH DRIVE GERMANS BACK NEAR THIEPVAL

LONDON, Aug. 22.—Two heavy assaults on the positions newly won by the British south of Thiepval, on the Somme front, were made last night by the British trenches, but were driven out, the War Office announced today.

An official statement issued last night said: "Between Martinpuich and Bazentin we gained a further hundred yards of enemy trenches. South of Guillemont the enemy's lines and captured one of his machine guns."

"As a result of yesterday's operations south of Thiepval, near Mouquet farm we took 154 prisoners."

**Germans Recapture French Trenches Near Estrees.**  
PARIS, Aug. 22.—German troops attacking the French lines south of Estrees on the Somme front gained a footing at some points in trenches that had been captured by the French on Aug. 12, the War Office announced today.

"The attack in the Estrees region, south of the Somme was launched after a period of intense artillery preparation. North of the Somme the Germans violently bombarded the French first line."

**Greece Gets Guarantees From Germans and Bulgarians.**  
ATHENS, Aug. 22.—Germany and Bulgaria have given a written undertaking to Greece that their troops will not enter Kavala, Drama or Seres.

**Kavala, Drama and Seres are the most important towns in the part of Eastern Macedonia ceded to Greece at the close of the Balkan wars.**

**Russian Fleet Helps to Check Turkish Land Attack.**  
PETROGRAD, Aug. 22.—An offensive undertaken by the Turks along the Armenian Black Sea coast has been stopped and the Turkish forces driven back with the aid of the Russian fleet, was announced today by the War Office.

## G. O. P. Platform Advocates Budget System in State

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tion, good roads, river improvements, geological survey, "local improvements, pure seed for farmers, reformation of court procedure, and home rule for the cities."

"We favor home rule for the large cities of Missouri elsewhere in the State. We condemn the hypocrisy of the Democrats in plotting to destroy home rule after unexpected developments showed that it was not to their partisan advantage."

"We believe that the factional squab-

dals that are disgracing Missouri are largely due to gubernatorial control of police and excise matters of the large cities."

**Rural Credits System.**  
A declaration is made in favor of a practical and effective rural credits system, but condemns as unwise the Gardner land bank plan.

"There is also a strong plank condemning the present management of the penitentiary. That plank says: 'We are opposed to the partisan political and inefficient management of the State penitentiary. We stand for the humane treatment of convicts from first offenders, the segregation of those afflicted with communicable diseases, the establishment of a hospital for the criminal insane, the employment of the able-bodied, as far as possible, in the open air, and not in competition with free labor, the actual abolition of the contract system in the penitentiary and the operation of the penitentiary in a more efficient manner.'

"We favor the prompt establishment of an intermediate reformatory for first offenders and condemn the Democratic State officials for completely ignoring the unanimous mandate of the last General Assembly providing for such an institution by the appropriation of \$150,000 which sum the State officials used for other purposes."

"There is a plank demanding a thorough revision of the primary and general election laws, denouncing police intimidation of voters, favoring adequate support of health boards and officers, and for the maintenance of public tuberculosis hospitals and county tuberculosis hospitals."

A declaration is made in favor of a revision of the dairy laws of the State, for the submission of the question of a new Constitution to the voters of the State, but a proviso is added that the Constitution should be framed as a nonpartisan instrument, and that therefore recommendation in a form to provide for an equitable and just representation of all political parties in framing the instrument."

**Other planks of the platform declared for a constitutional convention to frame a new State Constitution; use of convict labor on roads, and laws providing compensation for convicts thus employed; minimum wage scale for women and girls; workmen's compensation laws; equal suffrage legislation and a plank declaring for prohibition of both manufacture and sale of intoxicants in Missouri.**

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**Trolley Car Kills Two in Auto.**  
DANVER, Colo., Aug. 22.—Mrs. V. T. Bassett and Mrs. J. W. Ailla, both of Tulsa, Ok., were killed last night when their automobile was struck by a Denver & Boulder Interurban car at Westminster, near here.

## WOMAN NOT MOLESTED BEATING WAY TILL SHE DRESSES AS MAN

Wore Overalls, Jumper and Patent Leather Slippers With High Heels When Arrested.

Mrs. Ellen Morgan, 20 years old, of Rock Haven, Ky., had no trouble beating her way on freight trains as long as she wore woman's clothing, she told East St. Louis policemen this morning, but when she donned man's attire she was arrested.

She was taken into custody in the railroad yards in East St. Louis this morning when she climbed from an empty coal car of a train from Breese, Ill.

She wore blue overalls and jumper, a blue cap and patent leather slippers with French heels. She said she started from Rock Haven two months ago to join her husband in Lincoln, Neb., and had worked at various towns on the way. She said she had not paid railroad fare, and had found trainmen kind to her. Yesterday in Breese, she said, an engineer in a coal mine told her she would get along better if she dressed like a man. He bought the outfit she had on, she said. She had her own clothing in a bundle and at the direction of the police put it on. An effort will be made by the police to find work for her in East St. Louis.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

**EUREKA, CAL., ROCKED BY QUAKE**  
Most Violent Shock Since 1906 Felt. At Least 100 Residents.

EUREKA, Cal., Aug. 22.—The most violent earthquake felt here since April, 1906, rocked the city and Northern Humboldt County at 6:30 o'clock this morning, arousing late sleepers who fled from their homes into the streets, panic-stricken. There was no material damage.

**STATE PROGRESSIVES INDORSE CHICAGO CONVENTION PLATFORM**  
Meeting Condemns Refusal of the Majority to Nominate Party Candidate for the Presidency.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 22.—A platform reaffirming the principles of the Progressive national platform of 1912 and 1916 and condemning the refusal of the majority of the National Committee of the party to nominate a candidate for President as "a betrayal of trust and as setting a dangerous precedent in American politics," was adopted by the Missouri State convention of the Progressive party last night.

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Board of Education Committee Hears Arguments for and Against Blewett's Plan.

The Board of Education's Committee on Instruction held a public hearing yesterday afternoon on the plan for military training in the high schools recommended in a recent report by Superintendent of Instruction Blewett. About 25 persons aside from the members of the committee attended the hearing, the small number causing some of the speakers to cite the apparent lack of interest in a question which they said was of vital importance to the welfare of the nation and the city.

Advocates of the plan were in the majority. They based their arguments on the need of a trained citizenry to defend the nation against possible invasion and of a course of training that would develop individual physical strength for the manhood of a people they said is in danger of degenerating into a race of weaklings.

Speakers against the plan admitted the need of physical training for young men, but thought it could be better obtained by a wider use of the physical culture and gymnastics clubs. Several of these speakers were leaders in turnverns, one was a Socialist and one was a representative of the Central Trades and Labor Union.

**Charles Culliff for Plan.**  
Charles Culliff, president of Soldan High School Patrons Alliance, said he thought military training would do more than anything else to make a man of a boy. He said he had six boys that he would much rather have educated in the fundamentals of military practice than in Greek and Latin roots. So far as he had heard there was not a single opponent of the plan among the patrons of Soldan High School.

The plan, which was explained to the meeting by Superintendent Blewett, provided for military instruction for the young men of the high schools in their senior year. It would be optional with them or their parents whether they would take it. The Board of Education would have all expense except that of uniforms. Superintendent Blewett estimated the cost of two necessary uniforms would be \$21.

Walter H. Saunders, in answer to an argument that the plan would be undemocratic because only the sons of the well-to-do could afford to buy the uniforms, promised that a committee would be formed to provide uniforms free for all youths who were not able to buy them. He favored the plan particularly because of the good it would do the boys individually and because it would make the nation better prepared to defend itself in an emergency.

John B. Denver Jr., an attorney, representing the National Security League, quoted from Confucius, the Chinese philosopher who died 479 B. C., to support his argument for preparedness.

"To lead an untrained people to war is to throw them away," was the saying of Confucius upon which he based his argument.

**Training Needed, Horace Johns Says.**  
Horace Johns, secretary of the St. Louis branch of the National Security League, spoke of the need of some form of training in the high schools that would apply more generally to the students than do the present forms of athletics. He thought military training would meet the need.

Gen. E. J. Spencer, who spent seven years in the regular army and 15

years in the national guard of Missouri, was heartily in favor of the plan. Dr. A. J. Siebert also spoke in favor of it. Albert von Hoffman thought the plan would not go far enough. Only a small per cent of the young men would be affected by it, he said. He thought if military training is a good thing it should be compulsory for all.

C. R. Anderson of the Central Trades and Labor Union said that organization is against the plan. He gave no specific reasons. Clow Warner, a Socialist, said his party was opposed to it. He wanted more industrial training in the schools. Military training, he thought, would develop a militaristic spirit that would lead to a show in this country of what he termed the fanatical patriotism of the peoples of Europe in standing loyally by their governments in the present war.

Otto Kallmeyer, representing the Turner societies, was one of the principal speakers against the plan. He favored physical training as it is given in the turnverns.

## CHILD SLAYERS OF EDUCATOR COME UNDER NO STATE LAW

Idaho Authorities Do Not Know What to Do With Boys, 11 and 12, Who Confessed to Killing.

BOISE, Idaho, Aug. 22.—Judges and attorneys here are puzzled over the disposition of Harold and Linn Leve-lace, 12 and 11 years old, who are in jail in Twin Falls, confessed murderers of Prof. Thomas F. Hamill, a Carson (Nev.) teacher, whose body was found at his ranch near Twin Falls last Thursday. No state law adequately covers their case.

The boys, when caught, as run-aways, had Hamill's horse, wagon, pocketbook and guns. They said they shot Hamill when he surprised them in the act of robbing his cabin. At least 12 guns the boys have admitted stealing during the last few weeks have been recovered.

## SAYS WILSON PROVED BELIEF IN SUFFRAGE, HUGHES DID NOT

Mrs. George Bass of Chicago Takes Charge of Women Voters' Bureau for President.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Mrs. George Bass, Chicago club woman, has taken charge of the women's voters' bureau in the western national headquarters of the Democratic party.

"It must be remembered that President Wilson and some of the members of his cabinet were a practical demonstration of their interest in suffrage by leaving their duties in Washington and traveling to New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania to vote for woman suffrage in those states," said Mrs. Bass. "Mr. Hughes on the other hand testified to his indifference if not hostility to suffrage by remaining in Washington and not going to New York to vote the suffrage amendment pending there."

## FINE YACHT FOR EXPLORERS

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 22.—Dr. A. Hamilton Rice, South American explorer, is going to make another trip into the Amazon wilds, accompanied by his wife, former widow of George D. Widener, who went down on the Titanic. They will leave Newport on Oct. 15.

One of the finest yachts afloat, the Albion, owned by Commodore Frederick G. Bourne of the New York Yacht Club, and formerly the property of King Leopold of Belgium, has been chartered for the expedition, which is under the auspices of the Royal Geographical Society of London.

**Couple Killed by a Train.**  
CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Miss Amy Devaux and Charles W. Hastings, 19 and 23 years old, respectively, were killed last night by an Illinois Central train. They were to have been married in a short time.

## HUGHES IN RENO; LEADS A PARADE, ATTENDS BARBECUE

Nominee Has Escort of Cowboys and Cowgirls—Ten Bees Killed for Feast.

RENO, Nev., Aug. 22.—Charles E. Hughes reached Reno today for a day of parades, barbecues, reception and speech making. He will depart at 9 o'clock tonight for Ogden, Utah.

The nominee was met at the station by a band and a squad of cowboys and cowgirls, who escorted him to his hotel. After breakfast in the main dining room Mr. Hughes and his wife went for an automobile ride about the city. At noon the nominee received a large delegation from the Nevada Woman's Party, after which the nominee and his wife headed an automobile parade through the city.

The parade ended at a little park opposite the courthouse, where a Western barbecue was set. Ten heaves had been killed for the candidate, his party of about 40, the Reception Committee and invited guests. All traffic was stopped on Reno's main street during the barbecue and the speech which followed. This was delivered in the open air, from a platform on the courthouse steps.

The second speech is to be delivered at 7 o'clock in the theater here.

## BUT SIX IN MEXICAN EXPEDITION HAVE DIED FROM DISEASE

Sick Rate Among Soldiers With Fighting for Five Months Is 1.5 Per Cent.

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, AMERICAN EXPEDITION, Mexico, Aug. 22.—But six deaths from disease and a present sick rate of 1.5 percent for the American expedition since it entered Mexico more than 5 months ago was the record in official figures made public here today. Adding the number of sick being treated at the base hospital to those in the field the rate is increased to 2.5 percent. There has not been a single case of typhoid.

"This is a remarkable record for an expedition serving in this sort of a country with nothing but field equipment," declared Gen. J. J. Pershing.

## NO MORE SPRING DUCK SHOOTING

Action Taken by Committee Embracing Missouri and Illinois.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Spring duck killing in Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska and Kansas hereafter will be prohibited. It is announced by the Federal Advisory Committee to the Department of Agriculture, which for some time has been holding hearings in this city.

Sportsmen all over the country, it was said, have been up in arms because a controversy over the closing of the season of these states a special fall shooting season with additional spring shooting season lasting from Feb. 10 to March 10.

Every other state received, under the recommendations, a single open season, with spring shooting barred.

**Sets New Mark for Steer-Throwing.**  
CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—H. H. Shaffer of Fort Worth, Tex., clipped a second off what was said to be the world's record for steer throwing yesterday by throwing his animal in eight seconds, at the Chicago roundup.

**\$4—Toledo and Return—\$4**  
Aug. 22 and 23. Via Clover Leaf Route. Good in sleeping cars. 415 Olive street.

## The Leading Retailers Know Where to Advertise —That's why they are Leading

The successful Department Stores, Apparel Shops, Furniture, Musical and Shoe Stores of St. Louis today are the product of effective advertising—so there is some significance in the fact that

In the FIRST SIX MONTHS of 1916  
BIG ADVERTISERS ADVERTISED BIG IN  
St. Louis' ONE BIG Newspaper

The following figures show the volume of advertising bought by the six leading retail lines the first six months of 1916.

The comparison tells a convincing story of where the results come from:

	POST-DISPATCH	Globe-Democrat	Republic	Star	Times
Department Stores.....	1,211,804	591,963	385,885	533,831	629,720
Women's Apparel.....	584,719	121,881	18,040	37,741	18,432
Men's Apparel.....	218,553	152,499	77,046	20,614	40,571
Furniture, Carpets and Stoves.....	374,659	146,640	71,879	35,849	39,976
Musical.....	151,997	89,377	13,137	5,775	8,012
Shoes.....	163,825	30,458	8,497	2,200	2,242

\*Not including space used in Department Store Advertisements.

Here is WHY they know where to Advertise  
Circulation Sunday only, 369,894  
Average for first six months, 1916: Daily average, 213,494

## ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH



## HERCULES Smokeless Shotgun POWDERS

Infalible or "E. C."

These powders have proven their worth at the traps many times. Last year the Grand American, the Southern, the Western and the Midwinter Handicaps were won with Hercules Powders.

This year it is the same story. The Southern Handicap, Iowa, Utah, Illinois, Mississippi, Tennessee and other State shoots have been won by Hercules.

Hercules Powders make good for those who use them.

HERCULES POWDER CO.  
Pierce Building  
St. Louis



RENO; PARADE, BARBECUE  
Ten Bees for Feast.  
Aug. 23—Charles E. Reno today for a day...  
He will depart at 9 o'clock.  
met at the station by a crowd of cowboys and...  
and he went for the...  
about the city. At...  
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## LAMM SUPPORTERS REVOLT, WILL HAVE OWN COMMITTEE

Republican Gubernatorial Candidate Humiliated by Re-election of Hukriede as State Chairman.

### DICKEY BOSSED MEETING

Refused to Accept J. H. Bothwell—Otto Stifel Resigns as a Member.

By GEORGE W. EADS.  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.  
JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 23.—The nomination of Judge Henry Lamm, Republican nominee for Governor, by the Republican State Committee, caused by Walter S. Dickey of Kansas City, Republican nominee for United States Senator, resulted in a revolt by the Lamm supporters in the State Committee yesterday afternoon and the immediate inauguration of plans to conduct a separate campaign in the interest of Judge Lamm.

Judge Lamm, who won his nomination in the primary election in the face of the opposition of the Dickey-controlled State Committee, made a personal plea to Dickey and to members of the new State Committee for a State chairman who was at least friendly to him, but Dickey was inexorable and refused to recognize that Judge Lamm had any right whatever to a friendly State organization. He forced the re-election of T. W. Hukriede of Warrenton, Oregon, as chairman of the State Committee.

Stifel Quit Committee.  
The Lamm supporters charged that Dickey was not satisfied with being nominated for United States Senator, but that he wanted to be the absolute party boss. Otto P. Stifel of St. Louis resigned from the State Committee, declaring that he did not wish to be a member of a body that would deliberately humiliate its own candidate for Governor, and Bothwell, Mark Dodd, Republican Committee member from the Tenth District, and Dr. J. H. Barto, Republican nominee for Congress in the Eleventh District, holding the proxy of the two members from that district, walked out of the meeting of the State Committee and refused to participate in the proceedings when Hukriede was elected.

Nearly all Republican leaders here agree that Judge Lamm will be 25,000 votes stronger in the November election than Dickey, and that it would have been good politics for Dickey to have yielded to Judge Lamm.

Stifel charged that Dickey, in connection with State Chairman Hukriede and National Chairman J. H. Babler of St. Louis, had promised party workers throughout the State in their campaign to control the State Committee. He also charged that the State committee, as it has been organized and in the interest of John E. Swanger for Governor, and thereby incurred the displeasure of the candidates it opposed.

When Dickey and his supporters came to Jefferson City to participate in the convention they stated that their opposition to Judge Lamm's choice for State chairman was based solely on their dislike for Howe, who had been the most active factor in the Lamm primary campaign.

When Howe was told by Dickey and Babler that their opposition was personal to him, Howe went to Judge Lamm and insisted that Lamm select another candidate.

Lamm, upon Howe's insistence that his name be withdrawn, finally agreed to pick Bothwell, who had been suggested for chairman to Lamm a week ago by Dickey.

Bothwell, several years ago caused the election of Dickey as chairman of the State Committee, had wanted for Dickey in the primary campaign, and was the friend and supporter of both Lamm and Dickey.

When both Howe and Bothwell were turned down by Dickey, Judge Lamm felt the humiliation very keenly, and stated that he had gone to the people for his nomination and would go again to the people for his election.

Will Keep Headquarters Open.  
The Lamm headquarters in St. Louis have never been closed, and they will be kept open until after the general election, and the same campaign committee that conducted the successful campaign for Judge Lamm in the primary will conduct his campaign for election.

The fight over the State chairmanship overshadowed all other features of the Republican gathering. The bitterness created by Dickey's bossism of the committee was intense.

After the Dickey-Babler combination had forced through the chairmanship program there had been aroused such a feeling of resentment among the Republican leaders not in sympathy with Dickey and Babler's treatment of Judge Lamm, that an effort was made to place the Lamm supporters by electing Judge Lamm's friends to all minor offices on the State committee.

Bothwell was elected vice chairman of the committee. Judge Louis Hoffman of Sedalia, head of Judge Lamm's Sedalia organization, was elected secretary, and Al Shapleigh of St. Louis, an official of the Henry Lamm Club of St. Louis, was named as treasurer.

## New Photograph of King Ferdinand, Hohenzollern Ruler of Rumania



KING FERDINAND OF RUMANIA.

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## KAISER MAY BE GREAT ALEXANDER, SAYS THEOSOPHIST

Leader Here for Convention Also  
Thinks T. R. May Have the  
Soul of Caesar.

Max Wardall, former Mayor of Seattle, Wash., national lecturer of the Theosophical Society, today at the Planters Hotel discussed with a Post-Dispatch reporter the possibilities of Kaiser Wilhelm, President Wilson, Roosevelt, Bryan and Hughes being the reincarnation of famous men centuries dead.

Wardall came to St. Louis to attend the thirtieth annual meeting of the American section of the Theosophical Society, which tomorrow will convene in a five-day session. About 400 delegates from all parts of America are expected. Headquarters are at the Planters Hotel.

Pay Debt 1000 Years Old.  
The principal doctrine of the Theosophists are the universal brotherhood of man, the reincarnation of the soul and the belief in karma, or the repaying of debts contracted in this life in a later existence.

"The doctrine of reincarnation of the soul is centuries old," Wardall explained. "Long before the days of Christ it was believed. Homer tells of it, and Virgil, 'Book of the Dead' of the Egyptians discusses it. We are continuing that belief."

"We believe that man works out his own destiny. If he has progressed in this life, he should come back again on a higher plane. We do not believe that a god would bring misshapen bodies and stunted minds into the world."

Wardall said that it is believed that the Germans of today are the reincarnation of the Carthaginians of past centuries, and the English of their ancient foes, the Romans. "And the ancient hatred exists today," he said.

When take the French, irreligious, gay, debauched, filled with the joy of material life, they are not like the Greeks of old, who believed in love and beauty and the pleasures of the moment."

"As to the reincarnation of individuals—it is possible that those who existed centuries ago are among us today in the persons of great scientists, philosophers, orators and warriors. They may have been working out their destiny in the long ages which have intervened since their last embodiment. We do not believe that souls come back immediately to earth."

"For instance, John Hay said that he could remember that once he was a Christian, about to be tortured in the Roman forum by lions, but not every day of that law are due to his foresight and wisdom. The committee of which he was the leading spirit, exposed and drove from Washington the corrupt lobby. His work in both these great matters is due to his foresight and wisdom. The committee of which he was the leading spirit, exposed and drove from Washington the corrupt lobby. His work in both these great matters is due to his foresight and wisdom."

He said that many today think Francis Bacon is reincarnated in the person of Count Rascogel of Hungary, who is working now to bring about forces for good at the conclusion of the war.

Kaiser May Be Alexander.  
"A man of the type of Kaiser Wilhelm might well be the reincarnation of Alexander the Great—for in the intervening ages his soul may have come back with the old desire of military conquest."

"And Roosevelt—now a man of his type might well have Caesar's soul, many think so at least. They were popular leaders, warriors, writers."

Mrs. Hotchner avers that she has talked with dead people, and that the ability to do so is not a special gift, but the result of spiritual training which developed certain occult faculties dormant in most people.

The American section of the society, numbers about 5000 members. The headquarters of the national society are at Krotina, in the Hollywood Mountains, near Los Angeles. Mrs. Annie Beal, the president, will not be at the St. Louis meeting, as she is working in India.

The first public lecture of the convention will be tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Wednesday Club auditorium, Westminster place and Taylor avenue. Miss Isabel Holbrook of Krotina will discuss "The Story of Evolution Told in Symbols."

DON'T LET SOAP  
SPOIL YOUR HAIR

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain mild soap, or better still, a hair cream, which is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in; about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which cleanses thoroughly and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.—ADY.

## STATE PLATFORM INDURSSES MAJOR ADMINISTRATION

Democratic Candidates Approve  
All Acts of Present Set of  
Officials.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.  
JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 23.—The Democratic State convention, comprised of the State and legislative candidates and the members of the Democratic State Committee, completed its work last night by the adoption of the party platform. Many of the delegates got away on late trains for their homes.

Judge James Cowgill of Kansas City was selected chairman of the State Committee, without a contest, and the candidates were in entire accord in writing the platform.

Senator James A. Reed, who is a candidate for re-election, wrote the section of the platform relating to national issues, while the State candidates prepared the portion of the platform relating to State affairs.

The State platform is approximately 200 words long. The 200 words are devoted to the achievements of the national Democratic administration, Missouri Senators and Congressmen, and the present and past Democratic State administrations, and only about 50 words to the State candidates and party pledges.

The platform sets out in detail the laws put into force by the Wilson administration and points to them as having benefited the laboring man, the farmer and the business man. The opening paragraph of the platform "congratulates the State and the nation that at this tragic period of the world's history we have at the head of the Government a President who has met all international complications in the spirit of dignity, firmness and fairness."

and adds: "The nation's honor and the nation's peace have been preserved by Woodrow Wilson."

Reed, Stone and Clark Praised.  
Concluding its reference to national affairs the platform contains these paragraphs specifically commending Senators Reed and Stone and Speaker Clark:

"As chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, Senator Stone has been the adviser and the support of the President and second only to him as a force for the preservation of the dignity and peace of the nation."

"In his one term of service, Senator Clark has placed himself in the front rank of the Senate. In the framing of the Federal banking bill, his work was that of a constructive statesman, and many of the most salutary provisions of that law are due to his foresight and wisdom. The committee of which he was the leading spirit, exposed and drove from Washington the corrupt lobby. His work in both these great matters is due to his foresight and wisdom. The committee of which he was the leading spirit, exposed and drove from Washington the corrupt lobby. His work in both these great matters is due to his foresight and wisdom."

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## OFFICER RETURNS FROM 'CROCKER LAND' EXPEDITION

Ensign Green, Official Observer for Government,  
Reports Arrival at Copenhagen—Says  
Nothing of Results of Search

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Ensign Fitzhugh Green, the American naval officer assigned to the MacMillan Crocker Land Arctic expedition, has reported his safe arrival at Copenhagen on Aug. 19 to the Navy Department, but has made no report of whether the expedition found Crocker Land or of the whereabouts of Donald B. MacMillan and the other scientists in the party.

Green announced his arrival from a brief cable saying he would proceed to Washington unless instructed to the contrary. The Navy Department late last night ordered him home, but made no request for further information of the results of the expedition and will not do so unless requested by the American Museum of Natural History or someone concerned in the expedition.

Jerome Lee Allen, a navy wireless operator who accompanied Green, arrived in New York yesterday, but his arrival was not known to the Navy Department until the official dispatch called for information of Allen.

The National Geographic Society, its officers say, has no connection with the expedition and knows nothing of the results. Rear Admiral Peary, who was the commanding officer of the expedition, is at his summer place in Maine. When in the fall of 1914 the MacMillan expedition reported it had not yet been able to find the continent, the Admiral reported having seen the coast of Greenland to get assistance, but Hovey caught a severe cold while traveling about 60 miles and had to return.

Representative Helgeson of Minnesota, who has been active in support of Dr. Frederick Cook in the polar controversy, raised such an objection some time ago to Crocker Land being shown in the navy hydrographic charts that it was removed, awaiting confirmation of the discovery.

Green was attached to the expedition at the request of the American Museum and at his own solicitation. He had been preparing for such work for 15 years and entered the navy with the idea of doing work in the polar regions. The Navy Department has no interest in the expedition other than to further scientific research generally.

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It developed that Green declined to give up the search for "Crocker Land," even when almost insurmountable difficulties broke up the party and threatened it with starvation. He felt he was under orders to find it if possible, and kept up the perilous slide journeys even under most unfavorable conditions.

Wireless Operator Tells of Relief of MacMillan Party.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Jerome Lee Allen of Maquoketa, Ia., the wireless operator of the MacMillan Crocker Land expedition, who has arrived here, declined today to discuss reports that the expedition had decided Crocker Land was a mirage, but brought word that relief had been sent from Denmark to other members of the MacMillan party and Hovey expedition, which first went to the relief of Donald B. MacMillan in the auxiliary schooner George R. Cluett.

The party from the Cluett, including Dr. E. O. Hovey and Thompson Comer, an experienced Arctic explorer, located the MacMillan party near Etah, Greenland, late last fall, Allen said, after an unusually hard trip in which the schooner was caught in the ice, due to disabled machinery, and had to be abandoned at North Star Bay. The MacMillan party was found in dire want and suffering greatly. Members of both expeditions then returned to the Cluett.

In January, Allen, Ensign Green and Dr. Hovey started on a 100-mile dog-sled journey across Greenland to get assistance, but Hovey caught a severe cold while traveling about 60 miles and had to return.

After two months' hard traveling the sled party reached Egedesminde, a Danish settlement, and took a steamship for Denmark. Subsequently the steamship Denmark was dispatched to relieve those remaining near the Cluett, all of whom were well, Allen said, when he left.

It was stated by the museum officials that the Denmark was expected to reach some Scandinavian port in about a month. If all has been well with the party she will have on board MacMillan, W. Elmer Ekblaw, a geologist; Dr. Hardison Hunt and Jonathan Small, a cook of the original party; Dr. Hovey, Comer and members of the crew of the Cluett.

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## POLICE PAY TO BE HELD UP IF O.K'D BY M'PHEETERS

City Counselor Advises Vice  
President of Board to Sign  
Salary Vouchers.

The Police Department semi-monthly payroll, amounting to \$86,000, is due to be paid tomorrow, but City Counselor Daus today said he had advised City Auditor Sheehan not to permit the payment of police salaries if the vouchers are signed by Samuel B. McPheeters, president of the Police Board, whose dismissal was announced by Acting Governor Painter last week.

Daus said he would request McPheeters to permit John J. Sheahan, vice president of the board, to sign the vouchers so that there might be no question as to their legality. Unless this is done, Daus says, the policemen must go without their pay until McPheeters' status as a commissioner is determined.

Three vouchers for automobile patrol wagons, signed by McPheeters, were held up by Auditor Sheehan yesterday on advice of Daus. They called for a disbursement of \$800.

Daus yesterday communicated with Attorney-General Barker, who told him McPheeters' status had not yet been determined.

Daus and McPheeters conferred in Daus' office this morning and the City Counselor said afterward that he was not ready to announce the result of the consultation, but that McPheeters "acted very decently." He also said that, in his opinion, Painter did not know how to remove McPheeters, or did not wish to remove him. "He seems to be looking for a modus vivendi," he remarked. This Latin term signifies an effective method.

TO STEADY THE NERVES  
Take Horsford's Acid Phosphate  
It tones and strengthens the cells,  
Delicious and refreshing. Buy a bottle.

SOCIALIST PLATFORM IS FOR  
SUFFRAGE AND EIGHT-HOUR DAY

The Socialist State platform, adopted yesterday at the State convention here, urges the abolition of the State Senate and the veto powers of the Governor.

It favors votes for women, and the establishment of a legal maximum workday of eight hours, with a rest period of one and one-half days each week.

The military-preparedness plan of the Wilson administration are opposed. As a step toward reducing the cost of living, the Socialists advocate public ownership of railroads, coal mines, telegraph and telephone, stockyards and slaughter houses and grain elevators.

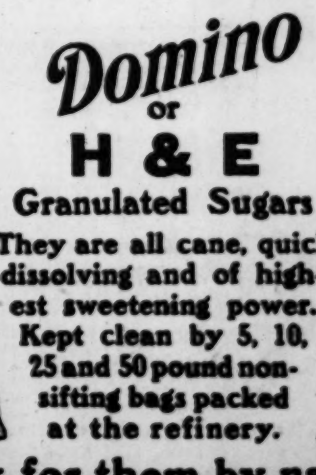

Among the reforms urged for Missouri are State insurance for all workers against sickness, injury and old age; an effective workmen's compensation law; relief for the unemployed by the establishment of State industries and extension of public works, persons so employed to work eight hours at prevailing union wages; abolition of the contract system in all public work, and the conduct by the State of the defense as well as the prosecution in criminal cases.

\$6.00 DETROIT AND RETURN  
August 25th and 26th via WABASH.  
208 N. Broadway and Union Station.

## Tons Upon Tons of Fruit Perish —You Pay for Every Ounce

Each year we let millions of bushels of fruit go to waste. You share the cost of this waste by buying high-priced food to take its place. Farsighted newspapers strongly urge you to can fruit in quantity. The Government also asks you to help save the fruit.

Home canning is not hard work, measured by the money saved. Fruit is healthful—takes the place of expensive dishes, and provides variety in menus. Canning fruit to sell is an easy way to make extra money. In preserving, use



They are all cane, quick dissolving and of highest sweetening power. Kept clean by 5, 10, 25 and 50 pound non-sifting bags packed at the refinery.

Ask for them by name.



**Hagerman Appoints Two Democrats.**  
Circuit Clerk Hagerman yesterday discharged Bruce Jarrett, bookkeeper in the Clerk's office, and appointed as his successor Thomas A. Duff, Democrat. Jarrett is a Republican and is a son of former Chairman Jarrett of the Republican City Committee. Hagerman also

appointed A. E. Hughes, a son of Democratic City Committeeman William Hughes, to a deputy clerkship at a salary of \$90 a month.

**Going Home for Vacation?**

Take HER a diamond ring from Louis Bros. Credit Jewelers, 23 N. 2nd St., St. Louis.

**Fire Destroys Warehouse.**  
Fire at 11:40 o'clock last night destroyed the one-story frame warehouse of the Weber Drayage and Warehouse Co., 1321 South Second street. Automobiles were damaged to the extent of \$2000, and the loss on the building was estimated at \$2000.

## EIGHT-HOUR DAY IN EFFECT IN MOST ORGANIZED TRADES

Even Some Railroads Have Adopted It as Basis for Computing Pay.

President Wilson, in the conferences at Washington with railroad presidents and representatives of the four railroad brotherhoods, has stated that "the 8-hour day now undoubtedly has the sanction of the judgment of society in its favor and should be adopted as a basis for wages, even where the actual work to be done cannot be completed within eight hours."

An investigation by the Post-Dispatch shows that the principle of the eight-hour day has been applied in so many lines of industry that it is now the rule, rather than the exception, in nearly all fields of labor.

Even the railroads are not strangers to it. On some systems, especially in the South and West, the eight-hour day has been made the basis for many of the employees. On other railroads the adherence to a 10-hour day has been by no means absolute.

The wage basis is less than a 10-hour day on the following railroads: El Paso & Southwestern, Sunset-Central lines, Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe (coast lines), Southern Pacific, St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexican, San Antonio & Aransas Pass, Denver & Rio Grande, Canadian Northern, Canadian Pacific, Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic, Atlantic Coast Line, Central of Georgia, Charleston & Western Carolina, Florida East Coast, Georgia Railroad, Louisville & Nashville, Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis, Norfolk Southern and Seaboard Air Line.

On all these railroads in Western territory the engineers are on a basis of eight hours or less a day in both through and local freight service. The trainmen have various bases, ranging from eight hours to 10 hours a day.

**Most Workers Have It.**  
Owen Miller, secretary of the American Federation of Musicians, and for years a labor leader, says the trainmen are one of the few classes of employees who do not universally enjoy the eight-hour day. The only other large bodies of workmen who toll longer than eight hours daily are those employed in the steel industries and the copper mines, he said.

The textile workers, garment workers, hatters and machinists do not all have the eight-hour day, but a majority of those working in these industries do, he said.

"The cigarmakers were the first to get the eight-hour day," said Miller. "That was in 1884. Since that time all the building trades have obtained it, three-fourths of the machinists, the structural iron workers, the molders, metal polishers, glass workers, shoe workers and all of those employed in the larger industries, except the trainmen, steel workers and copper miners are not organized."

"For years organized labor has worked for a universal eight-hour day and our labors in that direction have been rewarded by the passage of eight-hour laws by the United States Government and similar laws in many of the States."

The State Bureau of Labor Statistics at Jefferson City has compiled the following list of labor unions in Missouri whose members work on the basis of an eight-hour day:

Brewery workers—bottling house workmen, barrel packers, crate handlers, machine men, bottlers, cellar men, engineers, firemen, freight handlers, settlement, laborers, bottlers (including women), brewery and ice plant laborers, malsters, oilers, automobile and truck tenders, powerhouse men, packers handling cartons, soakers and rinsers, bottle washers and washhouse men. Building trades—Bricklayers, sewer bricklayers, carpenters, cement workers, finishers, cement floor workers, cement workers' laborers, engineers, porters and hoisting, hod carriers, mortar hod carriers, inside wiremen, fixture hangers, laborers, building workmen, metal and wood lathers, marble setters and helpers, painters and sign painters, plasterers and helpers, plumbers, gas-fitters, sheet metal workers, steamfitters and helpers, stonemasons, structural iron workers and finishers, tile layers and helpers, outside and inside granite cutters and machine stonecutters.

Boiler makers, outside men and helpers. Machinists, outside workers, breweries, printing machinery and repair shops. Pattern makers, wood and jobbing shop.

Painters and hardwood finishers. Bookbinders, cutters, finishers, forwarders, rulers. Compositors, English (newspapers, 7:40 day and 7:30 night) and German line type operators and case workers; machine tenders.

Press feeders, cylinder presses, automatic or hand folding machines, automatic presses, aluminographic presses, lithographic presses, pressmen of all kinds. Stereotypers, day work, 8 hours; night work, 7 hours.

**"ACTOIDS" ACT ACTIVELY.**  
BEST FOR SUMMER COLDS.

**Most Heat Cases Due to Alcohol.**  
CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—That 35 per cent of the cases of heat prostration are due to the use of alcohol is the conclusion of physicians at the county hospital here, who have been making a study of the problem this summer.

**Business Men's Picnic.**  
The Eastern-Sarah Business Men's Association will hold its first annual picnic at Normandy Grove tomorrow afternoon.

**ANTI-KAMNIA (A-K) TABLETS.**  
Dr. Norwell of Edinburgh, says of anti-kamnia tablets: They are a specific for every kind of headache, acting with wonderful rapidity. Ask for A-K tablets. All druggists—10c per box.

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**Stolen Dog Is Found.**  
J. H. Farish of 5221 Westminster place has asked the police to look for

two men who on Aug. 16 stole from the home of Mrs. M. P. Bollinger, 2008 Cates avenue, to whom the men had sold it for \$10.

Resortland is calling. See the Resort and Country Board offers on the first want page—especially Sunday.



## Oh, the joy of such dance music!



The joy of gaily tripping around to the music of the best bands and dance orchestras—the organizations specially noted for their superb dance music. The joy of having them play all the newest dances; of having music that is perfect in tone, in volume, in rhythm; of being always able to command their services and have an impromptu dance at any time.

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The Victor Record catalog abounds in music for all the different dances, and new numbers are constantly being added. Here are some of the latest Victor Dance Records:

Uncle Tom—One-Step  
Victor Military Band  
18082  
10 in. 75c.  
Arrah Go On, I'm Gonna Go Back to Oregon—Medley One-Step  
Victor Military Band  
"Arrah Go On" and "Along the Rocky Road to Dublin"  
Siam—Medley Fox Trot  
Victor Military Band  
35561  
12 in. \$1.25  
"Siam"—"You're a Dangerous Girl"—"The Honolulu Blues"—"You Can't Get Along With 'em or Without 'em"  
Ole Virginny One-Step  
Victor Military Band  
Loading Up the Mandy Lee—Medley One-Step  
Victor Military Band  
35562  
12 in. \$1.25  
"Loading Up the Mandy Lee"—"In the Valley of the Nile"—"That Midnight Frolic of Mine"—"My Dreamy China Lady"  
Johnny Cat a Girl—Medley Fox Trot  
Victor Military Band  
"Johnny Cat a Girl"—"I Gave My Heart and Hand to Someone in Dixie"—"There's a Quaker Down in Quaker Town"—"I Love You So"

Hear these new numbers today at any Victor dealer's. Ask him for a copy of the Victor Dance Book containing instructions for learning the modern dances. He will gladly play any music you wish to hear and demonstrate the various styles of the Victor and Victrola—\$10 to \$400.

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If you use Cuticura Soap for every day toilet purposes, with touches of Cuticura Ointment now and then as needed to soothe and heal the first pimples, redness, roughness or scalp irritation you will have as clear a complexion and as good hair as it is possible to have.

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The self-respecting tenant, who would respect your property, too, might be reached by an ad in the Post-Dispatch during the next few weeks.



## DETECTIVE LOST IN WEST

Philadelphia Police Want Hotel Here Searched for Missing Man.  
City Detective Farrell of Philadelphia started West some time ago to hunt for Curley Carter. Carter has been arrested by the police of Salt Lake City, but the Philadelphia authorities can't find the detective.  
The last they heard of Farrell he had reached Salt Lake City and failing to find his man had started home. St. Louis police have been asked to have Farrell paged at the hotels here, and, if found, told to hurry back to Salt Lake City and get Carter.

## 120 IN SIBERIA ARE FREED

English Committee's Plan for Political Exiles Wins.  
LONDON, Aug. 23.—Liberation of 120 political exiles sent to Siberia has been ordered by the Russian Minister of the Interior at the behest of an English committee, whose secretary, Mrs. Sonia Howe, appealed personally to the Russian Cabinet. Mrs. Howe is the Russian-born wife of an English clergyman.  
Russian politicians exiled by administrative process are said to number 620. Investigation of all cases and the pardon of many exiles is expected.

## HUGHES FOR LAW TO COMPENSATE LABOR FOR INJURY

Nominee Reviews, in Sacramento Speech, Republican Legislation for Workingmen.

## 16 ADDRESSES IN ONE DAY

Resumes Attacks on Administration's Mexican Policy and Talks of Preparedness.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Aug. 23.—Charles E. Hughes, before an audience in the Armory here last night, declared for an adequate compensation law providing compensation to persons injured in hazardous employments engaged in interstate commerce. He also spoke of labor legislation enacted under Republican administrations.

University will not appoint a president to succeed A. W. Harris, who resigned last June. The administration of the university is to be placed in the hands of a committee of deans appointed by the trustees.

## Invest Your Vacation Money.

A dollar or two now and then will buy a diamond at Lott's Bros. & Co., 308 N. 6th st.

## Three Children in Wagon Drown.

CLAYTON, N. M., Aug. 22.—The three children of Lalo Bica, a ranchman, were drowned yesterday in Pecos Creek, when Bica's wagon was overturned in the stream, swollen by a cloudburst.

## Blindfolded Self, Leaps Into River.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—A woman thought to be Angelina Severson, bride of three months, blindfolded herself with a handkerchief yesterday and leaped to death in the Chicago River.

## Distinguished Automobiles

Excelsior Auto Co. rents 7-pass. Packards exclusively. Belmont 2088, Central 585.

## King Sees Baseball Game.

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 23.—King Gustave and a great crowd yesterday witnessed a baseball game between a team made up from the all-American Association football team and a Stockholm mine. The Americans won, 3 to 7.

## Gentleman's Palm Beach Suit Laundered.

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DOVER, Del., Aug. 23.—Col. Henry A. Dupont yesterday was renominated for United States Senator by the Republican State convention. The faction opposed to Senator Dupont, led by his cousin, Alfred I. Dupont, failed to put a candidate in the field.

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## Newest Fiction

A cent a day in Circulating Library—Second Floor.

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PINK Batiste Semi-Made Gowns, also Nainsook Teddy Bears, for French embroidery.  
29c Stamped Towels 19c Each  
Good grade huck—some plain or hemstitched, others have colored borders or scalloped edges—18x3 in., stamped in simple designs.  
(Art Needlework—Second Fl.)

## Women's Silk Stockings, 39c

FIBER silk, in white and colors—with reinforced heels, toes and double garter tops. Slight irregulars of 50c grade.  
(Escalator Square)

## Men's Silk-Plaited Socks, 35c

White and Palm Beach colors, with embroidered instep and reinforced heels and toes. Slightly irregular.  
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## A Sale of Men's and Young Men's New Fall Hats, \$1.95

A SPECIAL purchase of over 2000 Hats from one of the leading Eastern hat makers, brings to men the opportunity of buying new Fall style Hats at

## A Saving of 1/4 and More

These are all made of select quality fur felt, and are silk trimmed—guaranteed fast colors—and shown in all shades of gray, green, brown and tan, as well as black and blue. Several of the very newest blocks are included, and this sale affords men an opportunity that will not be duplicated before the end of the Fall season.  
(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

## The August Sale Offers a Number of Odd Pieces of Furniture at Half Price

FOR Thursday's selling we have gone through the Furniture stocks and collected here and there odd pieces as well as a few complete sets in patterns we are to discontinue. These have been marked at about half their regular selling prices for the quick-taking they will have.

## Bedroom Furniture

Quite a few pieces remaining from mismatched Suites that are now sacrificed.  
One \$125.00 Dresser and Chiffonier—Colonial, mahogany, with French plate mirrors, \$62.50  
One \$99.50 Solid Mahogany Chiffonier—“Widdicomb” make, French plate mirror, \$49.75  
One \$49.75 Adam Chest of Drawers—Mahogany, \$24.95  
One \$125.00 Three-Piece Case Combination Bedroom Suite—In old ivory, \$62.50  
One \$38.50 Blue Oak Case Combination Bed—3 ft. 6 in., \$19.25  
One \$38.50 Hand-Decorated Old Ivory Dressing Table, \$19.25  
One \$38.95 Circassian Walnut Adam Period Chest of Drawers—With mirror, \$18.50  
One \$38.75 Charles II Period Walnut Bed—4 ft. 6 in., \$19.50

## Dining-Room Pieces

One \$26.50 Quartered Oak Table—48 in. x 6 ft., \$13.25  
One \$38.50 Quartered Oak, Fumed Finish China Cabinet, \$19.25  
One \$59.75 Charles II Buffet—60-inch—French plate mirror, \$34.95  
One \$19.50 Serving Table—Extra under drawers, \$9.75  
One \$18.00 Stickley Fumed Oak Serving Table, \$9.00  
\$5.00 Fumed or Golden Oak Dining Chairs—Leather seat—each, \$2.50

## For Living Rooms

\$22.75 Adam Period Fumed Oak Chair or Rocker—Tapestry seat and back, \$12.50  
\$19.75 Charles II Cathedral Oak Chair—Tapestry seat and back, \$9.85  
\$25.00 Solid Mahogany Chair—Tapestry seat and back, \$12.50  
\$34.50 Overstuffed Tapestry Rocker, \$17.25  
\$27.50 Overstuffed Chair, in tapestry, \$13.75  
\$47.50 Overstuffed Rocker—in tapestry, \$23.75

## On the “Squares”

\$3 to \$4 Broadcloths  
THIS lot consists of very 98c finest black Chiffon Broadcloths and Bolivia Velours, 54 in. wide and the new Fall colors. They are remnants from the country's largest mills and up to five yard lengths.  
(Square 9—Main Floor.)

## \$1.00 and \$1.50 Dresses

A GREAT lot of women's A Dresses, in new Summer styles, made of lawn, tissue gingham and other popular fabrics, including a range of sizes from 36 to 46.  
(Square 14—Main Floor.)

## 59c Stamped Dresses

CHILDREN'S Dresses of 29c pique, stamped in attractive designs for French embroidery. 3 to 4 year sizes. While 150 last.  
(Square 10—Main Floor.)

## One Doz. Huck Towels

HALF-LINEN, good 95c heavy quality, hem-16x30 inches, and are regularly \$1.50 dozen.  
(Square 7—Main Floor.)

## 25c and 35c Voiles, Yd.

PRINTED Voiles, in a 12c splendid assortment of patterns, 28 inches wide.  
(Square 2—Main Floor.)

## Wilson Ovens, 49c

THIS is a very practical device. It boils, toasts, roasts and cooks. It is made of sheet steel, with wire broiler and wire rack. Can be used on any stove. Usually priced at \$1.50.  
(Fifth Floor.)

## Baseball Tickets—All Major League Games—Men's Store

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## Where to Dine—

Our Sixth Floor Restaurant—cool and pleasant.

## A Fashion Event—an Economy Occasion Is This Advance Sale of Fall Footwear

THIS event portrays the newest Footwear modes, and shares with our patrons the savings we were able to effect on our advance orders, given at a time when shoe factories were not busy.

Every style we offer is authentic, and every saving quoted is bona fide. This is the Original Advance Shoe Sale, and is the one you will derive the most benefit from. Visit it tomorrow.

## Women's \$8 to \$10 Fall Boots, \$5.85

Black kid with white washable kid tops—calfskin with white washable kid tops; also all-white washable kid with gray kid trimmings, and patent vamps with white tops. Full French heels—all new lasts.

## Women's New Fall Boots, \$2.85

Patent leather or dull kidskin and gunmetal calf, having dull kid or cloth tops. Plain toes, either curved French or straight Cuban heels. Four styles of Shoes for growing girls.

## \$1.00 Off Every Pair of “American Gentleman” Shoes

This means that \$6.00 “American Gentleman” Shoes are \$5.00—while the \$5.00 ones are \$4.00 during this sale. Fall styles, in all leathers and sizes.

## Men's Sample Fall Shoes, Special, at \$2.85

Also a number of “Walk-Over Rejects” and “American Gentleman” samples. Footwear regularly \$5.00 and \$6.00 at this special price.  
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## Sporting Goods Reduced

PRACTICALLY every branch of sport is involved in this out-clearing, and regular prices have been very radically reduced.

## Baseball Goods

\$2.00 Catchers' Mitts, \$1.00  
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Victor Federal League \$1.25  
Stix, Baer & Fuller \$1.25  
Baseballs, \$0.75  
Odds lot of Baseballs, worth up to \$1.00, each, 10c

## For Golfers

\$3.00 Drivers and Brannies, \$2.15  
\$2.50 Irons, \$1.50  
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7x7-ft. Poleless Tents, \$9.20  
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Is Paris inspired—a reproduction or accurate adaptation of an original Parisian creation of highest caliber.

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Satin Dresses  
Charmeuse Dresses  
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The serge models come in navy blue mainly, as this is the shade most in demand; the silk frocks in black, navy, green, brown and plum.

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That is what organized labor, through its official organ, said of my labor record after I had left the field of politics. It was said, well knowing that I had not failed to disagree with labor when I thought the record was not right. I had exercised, according to my duty as Governor, the right of judgment as to the propriety and wisdom of bills which were presented. I had vetoed some which I do not think were just. I had proposed and urged the passage of others that I thought were fair.

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#### Popular Hits of the Day

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## \$100 REWARD

WHEREAS a number of men, women and children are daily being robbed of milk and other dairy products, on the streets of St. Louis; and are also being assaulted with intent to do grave bodily harm, while carrying or hauling away milk and other dairy products from the plants of the various dairies whose drivers are now on a strike, and are also having their said property maliciously destroyed on the streets of St. Louis.

THEREFORE the said dairies offer a reward of \$100 to any person or persons furnishing information which will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons found guilty of the above offenses.

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## NAVY BETTER THAN EVER, SAYS DEWEY; RESTORATION TO SECOND RANK ASSURED

Admiral Denies There Is Any Demoralization—Denounces Attacks as "Shameful"—Favors General Board, Opposes General Staff—Daniels' "Dry" Order Copied in Europe.

THE Democratic National Committee has sent out from its New York headquarters the following interview with Admiral Dewey on the present condition of the American navy. It was prepared as a campaign document and will be widely distributed as an authoritative reply to much of the criticism that has been aimed at the navy and its present civilian head:

By GEORGE CREEL.

For two years and more the United States navy has been the subject of discussion as bitter as it is confused. The disputes between pacifists and militarists, between Democrats and Republicans, have resulted in a babel, and out of it all have come prejudices that do not care to bother with facts.

It is a situation packed with menace. Not only is it the case that national confidence and national self-respect are being undermined, but ignorance and hate make it impossible for wise decisions to be rendered. Nothing is more imperative than that such a situation be ended.

The people of the United States are entitled to the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth. What is the matter with the navy? Is the navy, as it stands today, an asset or a liability? Is the navy bill honest and adequate or a dose of "eye wash"? Has Secretary Daniels "demoralized" the navy? Is he a faithful public servant, worthy of support, or a joke?

These questions may not be answered by any member of the Wilson administration, or by any member of Congress, or by any office seeker, or by "experts" writing to suit editorial preconceptions. Not only is absolute and exact knowledge required, but he who speaks authoritatively must be free from the slightest suspicion of political bias or personal prejudice.

In Navy Since 1861.  
One man only measures up to these specifications. That man is Admiral Dewey. He has been in the navy of the United States since 1861 serving through two wars. Since 1903 he has been head of the General Board, passing upon naval defects, naval needs and naval plans. No administration has power to hurt him. By law he is exempted from the usual retirement provisions, and if he does decide to retire, it will be of his own volition and at full pay. No partisan quarrel has ever had power to drag him from his height.

I asked him for a consideration of the new naval bill, or rather, some such analysis as would permit a civilian to do a little thinking for himself. Patiently enough he went over each item.

Test at Skagerrack.  
"Four battleships at once, and six more within three years." Now he was firmly on his own ground, his words came like bullets. "The great fleet at the mouth of the Skagerrack gave a test to every theory. As a result, naval authorities are now agreed that the battleship is still the principal reliance of navies. As never before, it is proved that victory or defeat rests with the dreadnought."

"Four battle cruisers at once, and two more within three years. This will remedy one of our chief weaknesses. Nothing is more necessary than an adequate information service to provide early and continuous intelligence of an enemy's movements. This is the function of the battle cruiser. Also, in addition to speed and endurance, she has great offensive power, so that, if called upon, she can fight for information and break through a hostile screen. Aside from offering security and information to the main body of battleships, the battle cruiser can be used to protect sea routes, both military and commercial, and can aid the battleships in general action by taking a favorable torpedo position where her speed and heavy guns will be effective. The Skagerrack proves conclusively, however, that the battle cruiser cannot give and take with dreadnoughts."

"Scout cruisers four, and six more to come. More eyes for the fleet. Absolutely necessary."

Speaking slowly, but never hesitating, for three hours he considered the United States navy, past, present and future; world war, world peace, national ideals and national destiny. Only in his first answers, when an evident indignation gripped him, did he depart from the tone of one trying to pick his words in the interest of understanding.

"Is Not a Junk Heap."  
"The attacks that have been made upon the navy," he said, "are as false as many of them are shameful. It is not a junk heap. There is no demoralization. Both in material and personnel we are more efficient today than ever before. Our ships are as good as any, our officers are as good as any, and our enlisted men are the finest in the world."

"It is true that we have not enough ships or enough men. But navies are not built in a day. It was between 1906 and 1909 that Germany passed us, and that we commenced to lose rank as a naval power. This is in no sense a criticism of administration. Congress, after all, expresses public sentiment in large degree, and the reason we dropped was because the people wanted the drop. The recommendations of the General Board went unheeded because they were not backed up by public opinion. Until 1914, the people were thinking in terms of world peace. It is different today, and it is today that should concern us."

"Best Bill Ever Passed."  
He walked over to his desk and taking up a copy of the Senate navy bill, spread it before him. For a moment, as if to measure his words, he tapped it with a big, brown forefinger, and then he said:

"This is the best bill ever passed by either house of any Congress. It takes the five-year program of the General Board and changes it into a three-year program. It will restore us to second place and enable the United States to

meet on equal terms any Power in the world, save one."

After placing a matter of fact "O K" on the three fuel ships, the two ammunition ships, the hospital ship, a repair ship and a transport, also the two gunboats and various tenders, he moved to the submarines.

"Like the battle cruiser," he said, "the submarine has been permitted to gain a very exaggerated value. It is, of course, a most useful auxiliary, whose importance will no doubt increase, but at present there is no evidence that it will become supreme. The bill provides for nine fleet submarines, three coast submarines, 800-ton type, and 55 submarines, smaller type, provisions that are in line with the recommendations of the General Board."

"A feature of the Skagerrack engagement," he continued, "was the convincing demonstration of the usefulness of the destroyer. These tiny ships, primarily designed to serve the purpose of a screen, to be outriders for the big ships, have been regarded as incapable of attacking first-class ships in the daylight."

Under the cover of darkness or fog the destroyers were intended to creep in on the dreadnoughts, fire their torpedoes and then dash for safety. The German destroyers descended upon the British fleet in broad daylight, and the destroyers of both fleets played an important part in the fighting. We feel that the bill's provision for 50 destroyers is amply justified. So!" He turned in the chair and clasped his hands together. "It is a bill that gives us strength, and best of all, a bill that gives us balance. A great navy and truly proportioned!"

Daniels and the Navy.  
"Tell me, Admiral Dewey," and I braced myself for the momentous question, "Has Secretary Daniels demoralized the navy?"

"Boah!" The exclamation was one of disgust and indignation. "Facts and figures tell their own story. The navy was 5000 short of the number of enlisted men allowed by law; over 6000 have been added although more rigid examinations have forced the rejection of five out of every six. Only 32 per cent of honorably discharged seamen were re-enlisted. For more than a year about 90 per cent have been re-enlisted. Desertions have been cut in half and discipline has been improved to an extent that has permitted the restoration of a

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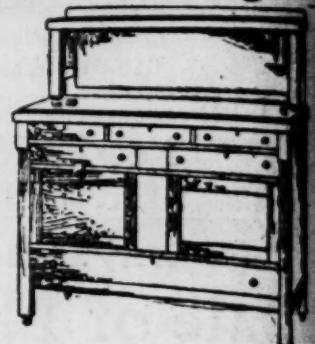
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## Only a Few Days Remain in Which to Share in Our August-Furniture-Sale Offerings

There are but comparatively few days left for you to profit by the saving advantages that our August Sale of Furniture affords. Even if you are not ready to use additional pieces at this time it will pay you to make selections now for later delivery—the savings are worth-while. We are listing only a few items by way of example:

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| A 54-inch Fumed Oak Sideboard, regularly \$37.50, sale price \$27.50                    | Fumed Oak Bookcase valued at \$23.00, sale price \$17.00  |
| 54-inch Fumed Oak Jacobean Oak Dining Table—a regular \$27.50 value, sale price \$18.50 | Large, comfortable Rocker of mahogany that would sell ordinarily at \$6.75, is now \$4.95                     |
| Invalid's Folding Mahogany Table valued at \$2.50, in this sale at \$1.75               | A fine Mahogany Tea Wagon with large, rubber-tired wheels that is valued at \$18.50 is now offered at \$13.50 |
| Golden Oak, Fumed Oak or Mahogany-finished Customer valued at \$3.50, price \$1.95      | Brass Beds with Cribbs in this sale at One-Third Off Fifth Floor.   |



25% Discount on All Summer Furniture

## Women's Fine Silk Stockings at Less Than Regular Prices

We still have a quantity of the Women's high-grade, Pure Silk Stockings which we secured at a great price concession from one of this country's most reputable manufacturers. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 qualities, while they last, at

\$1.00

There are also some of the \$1.50 and \$1.75 Silk Stockings—every pair desirable—that we are offering at the special price of

\$1.25

### Children's Stockings for School Wear

The girls and boys who are getting ready to go back to school will need plenty of Stockings. We are offering good, dependable qualities in black or white, at the pair

25c

Extra-quality Black Silk-lisle Stockings with lavender tops, for girls of 12 years and over; the pair

50c

## Women's Low Shoes Are Being Closed Out at Reduced Prices

Our new lines of Sorosis Footwear for Autumn will require more space than is now available, so we must dispose of our Summer styles.

All of our Sorosis Low Shoes and Oxfords for women that have been selling at \$6.00 and \$7.00 a pair are now

\$4.75

All of the \$5.00 and \$5.50 Sorosis Low Shoes and Oxfords for women are now

\$3.75

A lot of odd styles, consisting of Suede, Velvet, Satin and Grosgrain Pumps, that were priced at \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00, are now offered at

\$2.95

Another lot of Women's Shoes—all good makes, including some Sorosis, has been marked for clearance at the exceptionally low prices of

\$1.00, \$1.45 and \$1.95

## Use S-V-B Toilet Preparations to Clear Your Complexion

These timely suggestions from our Toilet Goods Shop will, no doubt, prove interesting to those who wish to remove the tan and cure the sunburn of vacation days. S-V-B products are the result of years of scientific experimentation by the best chemists and will be found most beneficial.

S-V-B Peroxide Cream for soothing, healing, bleaching, whitening and softening the skin; will not promote the growth of hair. The tube 35c  
S-V-B Cream of Benzoin and Almonds is delightful for use after the bath, imparting a freshness and velvety softness to the complexion. The bottle 25c and 35c

S-V-B Massage Cream is a skin food and tissue builder that will be found very beneficial when used before motorizing or any exposure to the sun. The jar 50c

S-V-B Hygienic Cream for cleansing, softening and promoting the growth of hair. Tubes 35c, jars 35c and 65c

First Floor.

## Knit Underwear for Women

This extremely warm weather necessitates a plentiful supply of comfortable knit underwear, which we are ready to show you.

Lisle Union Suits for women—the low neck, sleeveless style with tight or loose knee and taped neck and armholes. Regular and extra sizes. 50c

Women's Swiss-ribbed Vests made low neck and sleeveless and finished with mercerized tape at neck and armholes; regular and extra sizes. 12½c

Third Floor.

## Fashionable Silks for Fall

Taffeta still retains its prominent position in the world of fashion, and we are now showing some exceptionally good qualities—pure dye and handsome—finished—in a complete range of the newest Autumn colorings. 36 inches wide, the yard

\$1.50 and \$2.00

Black Satin Meteor with a very beautiful bright finish and 40 inches wide, that is an unusually good value at \$2

Second Floor.

## SALLOW SKIN

is one of the greatest foes of womanly beauty. It is quickly cleared by correcting the cause—sluggish liver—with the aid of the gently stimulating, safe and dependable remedy—

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

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## Cool Negligees Underpriced

Because a shipment of Swiss and Voile Negligees has been greatly delayed in transit we are offering them at less than half of the amount at which they were made to sell.

They are delightfully dainty and cool—some all-white and others in flou-ered effects—made on loose and Empire lines, prettily trimmed with lace and ribbon. Regular \$3.50 values for \$1.50

Third Floor.

## Art Needlework for Summer

In our Art Needlework Shop you will find such articles for Summer use as—

Bridge Table Covers stamped for cross-stitch embroidery and finished with tapes to tie. 50c and 45c

Linon Napkin Cases stamped for cross-stitch embroidery. 50c

Hot-roll Covers of linen stamped for white and cross-stitch embroidery. Prices 35c and 50c

Dresser Scarfs to match the above Pillow Covers. 65c and 75c

Second Floor.

## Our Basement Store

will open early in September with a complete line of the newest Ready-to-wear Apparel at less-expensive prices.

First Floor.

## Needed Notions

Warren's Negligee Girdle—for gymnasium and outdoor sportswear—all sizes. Price \$1.00

Kleinert's Princess Garment Shields—net brasieres in all sizes. Price 50c

Putnam Dry Cleaner is highly recommended and we are now offering it at special prices:

25c bottle for 20c

50c bottle for 40c

Pearl buttons of ocean quality in medium and small sizes—all perfect. Values 15c to 25c a dozen, sale price 10c

40c TINT Crochet Cotton in white or ecru and in all sizes

3 balls for 25c

First Floor.

## Infants' 25c Socks Special at 15c

Our Infants' Wear Shop is offering a lot of soft white Cotton Socks with medium blue tops for babies who require sizes 4, 4½ and 5, at a very low price.

They are the regular 25c quality, special at 15c

Third Floor.

## 25c Fruit Loaf Cake for 19c

Bake Shop—First Floor

First Floor.

## The Turn of Fortune Sometimes Fair

Makes a Poor Man a Millionaire.

But stories one too often hears tell of reductions, doubts and fears; "The Turn of Fortune" comes in play and wise is he who does "the way."

There is a way—and thousands have traveled it. Post-Dispatch Want Ad employment offers and business opportunity openings are leading many persons to independence and wealth. For today's "Want" Ads—and use them to bring about desired results. The Post-Dispatch is the result medium of St. Louis.

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## S. W. ADLER AND WIFE INJURED

Former St. Louis Racing Man's Auto Hit by Two Cars in Yonkers, N. Y.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—S. W. Adler, formerly a St. Louis racing man and now head of Adler-Cella-Tilles racing syndicate, was riding in an automobile with his wife in Yonkers last Sunday. Their car was caught between two street cars and wrecked. Mrs. Adler was badly hurt and her condition today is extremely critical. Adler was also severely hurt.

## BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

Notice—The price of Carnation Milk has not been raised

## The milk problem solved for you

Carnation Milk is the only milk supply needed for your home. It answers the milk question in every way. It is absolutely safe because it is handled under the most sanitary conditions in sealed air-tight and sterilized. Use it for cooking and baking, pour it over fruits and cereals, use it in your coffee, make ice cream with it—let it serve as your entire milk supply.

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THE finest vegetable oils are imported for Ivory Soap. The greatest care is used in its manufacture. Everything is done to keep every cake of Ivory Soap up to the highest standard. Its makers have succeeded in doing this for thirty-seven years.

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FREE LECTURE LIFE AS SEEN BY THE DEAD By MARIE RUSSAK HOTCHNER at HOTEL JEFFERSON, TONIGHT, 8 O'CLOCK

## CHECK FOR IRISH SUFFERERS

Father Dempsey Sends \$100.00 to Relief Fund Committee.  
A check for \$100.00, representing the contributions of the Rev. Father Timothy Dempsey and persons staying at the Workingmen's and Workingwomen's hotels, has been sent by Father Dempsey to W. J. Kinsella, treasurer of the Irish Relief Fund Committee of St. Louis. Fifty-one men and nine women contributed.

C. J. Dolan, secretary of the local committee, says the response to the appeal recently issued has been gratifying and the committee has decided to send the first instalment of \$2500 to Thomas H. Kelly, the national treasurer. All contributions are to be used for the relief of distress in Ireland.

Girl Killed by Baseball.  
WESTPHALIA, Kan., Aug. 23.—Avis, the 15-year-old daughter of J. E. Whitehead, seven miles north of here, was killed yesterday afternoon when a ball struck her on the head in its descent.



## Always Satisfactory

Carnation Milk is just fresh, clean, sweet, pure milk, reduced by evaporation to the consistency of cream. Add equal amount of pure water to it and you "bring it back" to its original state, with the added betterment of purity and safety.

If you have been using skimmed milk for cooking, simply add more water to reduce the richness.

Carnation Milk Products Company SEATTLE, U. S. A.

## PAINTER PAROLES 13 CONVICTS—4 FROM ST. LOUIS

H. F. Sadek, F. W. Deuser, Charles Dominic and Francis Long Make Up Local List.

Lieutenant-Governor Painter, acting Governor, who, a year ago, when temporarily acting in Gov. Major's place, paroled many convicts at the request of St. Louis politicians, yesterday released 13 convicts, many of whom had been in prison only a few months.

Four of the paroles issued yesterday were to St. Louis men, two of whom had long police records. Harry F. Sadek, former proprietor of the Hippodrome Hotel, Sixth and Walnut streets, was freed although he had served less than four months of a three-year sentence, imposed on his plea of guilty to setting fire to the hotel by means of an elaborate arson plant. Excise Commissioner Rumsey is said to have recently written to Gov. Major asking for Sadek's parole.

Robber of Candy Man Freed.  
Frederick W. Deuser, another of those paroled, had served less than a year of a three-year sentence for robbery. Deuser was one of a gang which obtained \$800 from Peter Ibsen, candy dealer and Danish Consul in St. Louis, by blackmail in March, 1915. Deuser, according to police records, had been arrested once before on a blackmail charge preferred by Richard Niehart of 3311 Vista avenue, but was released without prosecution.

Charles Dominic, another convict paroled, had served less than two years of a four-year sentence for grand larceny. Dominic and several other men stole a cash register from a restaurant at 315 North Jefferson avenue.

Dominic was arrested four times prior to the arrest which resulted in his conviction. He was fined \$100 in the Court of Criminal Correction in 1914 for attempting to rob a telephone coin box in the Judge & Dolph drug store at Seventh and Locust streets.

Shortly afterward he was arrested on a charge of participation in the burglary of a drug store at 401 Olive street. He was arrested once on a charge of trespass and carrying burglars' tools, after he was found in a vacant house at 3729 Washington avenue, from which the lead pipe had been removed. He was arrested another time on charges of passing small forged checks.

Store Robber Liberated.  
Francis Long was paroled after having served less than one year of a two-year sentence for robbery. He was convicted of robbing Reuben Rabitz in the latter's grocery store at 2700 Mills street. The police say he has been arrested about 20 times in St. Louis, and that he was fined four times for disturbing the peace.

Lieutenant-Governor Painter also paroled A. C. Tindle, cashier of the Pennsylvania County Bank at Caruthersville, who embezzled more than \$200,000. He is said to have made restitution of about \$150,000. Tindle went to the penitentiary in January, 1915, to serve a six-year sentence. He was paroled to R. F. Bryan of Memphis.

## POLICEMAN KILLS DIVE KEEPER

St. Louis Man Once Shot Down Seven Persons in Gambling House.  
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 23.—Bill Latura was killed early this morning by a patrolman who attempted to arrest him for violating the State liquor laws. The patrolman says Latura attempted to shoot him.

Ten years ago Latura went into a gambling den in Memphis and after losing his money shot and killed seven men. He was acquitted on a plea of self-defense. When Latura was a boy he got into a row with a companion at a ball game and beat him to death. For six years he had conducted a saloon and dive in violation of State laws.

The Bank for Savings, St. Louis Union Bank, Fourth and Locust.

## MOTHER OF 13 BABIES IS 27

Five Born in Last Seven Months Lived Only a Few Hours.  
GREENWICH, Conn., Aug. 23.—Mrs. Julius Cosenko of this city is 27 years and is the mother of 13 children, eight of whom have died. Five children have been born within the last seven months. About seven months ago triplets were born and the stark arrived yesterday with twins. Both triplets and twins lived only a few hours. The mother is in the best of health.

The Mercantile Trust Company, Eighth and Locust streets, is centrally located in the center of the shopping district. So it does not matter in what part of the city you may live or work, our location is convenient and can be reached by all car lines. Our savings department is open Monday evenings until 7:30 o'clock. The Mercantile Trust Company, as a member of the Federal Reserve System, is under United States Government protection.

Republican Advisory Committee.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—William R. Wilcox, chairman of the Republican National Committee, has made public today the personnel of the advisory committee to the National Committee, as follows: Gov. R. L. Beekman of Rhode Island, T. E. Burton of Ohio, Charles G. Dawes of Illinois, former Gov. A. C. Eberhart of Minnesota, Charles W. Fulton, former Senator from Oregon, Frank H. Hitchcock of New York, Raymond Robins of Chicago, Victor Rosewater, editor of the Omaha Bee, John W. Wamaker of Philadelphia, William L. Ward of New York and James Wilson, former Secretary of Agriculture.

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## THURSDAY IS MENS' TROUSER DAY In Famous-Barr Co's "3 Million Dollars In August" Campaign



Over 2000 pairs of excellent quality Trousers for men and young men, suitable for business, street and every day wear.

They come in dark and medium colors of fancy worsteds and cassimeres, in a wealth of desirable patterns; plain and cuff bottom styles; Trousers that are expertly tailored and the products of two of New York's most successful makers. We purchased them at a price that justifies this extreme value-giving and again vividly emphasizes our superior buying power and its resultant value-giving advantages to our patrons.

We have sorted these 2000 pairs into two extraordinary groups and men who look ahead will not stop at one pair, but will buy two and three pairs for present as well as later use, while they can be bought to such profitable advantage. Therefore, we offer—

\$3.00 AND \$3.50  
**TROUSERS**  
FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN  
Thursday at the Very Low Price of

**\$2.00**

\$4.00 AND \$5.00  
**TROUSERS**  
FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN  
Thursday at the Very Low Price of

**\$3.00**

## The Advance Sale of Autumn Silks

Offers unusual opportunities for BIG savings on silken fabrics of quality and style correctness for Fall, 1916.

**\$1.50 Plain Taffeta, \$1.25**  
Splendid wearing yard-wide Chiffon Taffetas, in all the wanted light, medium and dark colors, with plenty of the navy blue.

**\$2.50 Black Poplin, \$1.59**  
Extra heavy, round, even weave, 40-inch stylish black silk Poplin.

**\$2.00 Striped Silks, \$1.29**  
Rich, bright satin and woven striped, yard-wide taffeta and gros de londre, very fine quality and beautiful styles.

**\$1.25 Crepe de Chine, 98c**  
Slightly imperfect in the weave, all pure silk, 40 inches wide, black, flesh and ivory only.

**\$1.50 Georgette Crepe, \$1.25**  
Sheer, 40-inch, plain black, ivory and flesh color, all silk.

**\$5 to \$8 Fancy Chiffons, \$2.98**  
Multi-colored novelty weaves, 40 inches wide, hand made imported Chiffons for blouses, overdresses, etc.

**\$2.00 Black Satin, \$1.50**  
Very rich majestic costume, all silk, black satin, one yard wide.

**\$1.00, \$1.19 and \$1.25 Silk Poplin at 88c Yard**  
Staple silk and wool, 40-inch, black and all the good shades.

**\$4 Black Charmeuse, \$2.98**  
Best quality, twill back, soft dull satin finish; real Charmeuse.

Main Floor, Aisle 1

## The August Furniture Sale Is Speeding Toward Its Close.

What does that warning mean to you? HASTE! It means that the greatest furniture opportunity of the entire Summer season will soon be gone, and it behooves you to profit by the chance while there is still time. Every piece of furniture in our entire stock is offered at



**1/4 off**  
it's regular selling price—period furniture, modern designs—everything! There are no restrictions—the opportunity is YOURS—if you hurry.

Fourth Floor

## FOR THURSDAY, ANOTHER 50c SALE OF Laundry Soaps, Cleansers and Washing Powders

So unusual are the values that we cannot accept mail or phone orders on any of the following items tomorrow:  
5c bar Walke's Extra Family Soap, 16 bars, 50c  
5c bar Palm-Naptha Soap, 16 bars, 50c  
5c bar Armour's White Flyer Soap, 16 bars, 50c  
5c bar Procter & Gamble's Lenox Soap, 20 bars for 50c  
Hammer Brand Laundry Soap, 22 bars for 50c  
5c bar Star Laundry Soap, large size cake, 14 bars for 50c  
Sani Flush for the toilet, 3 cans for 50c  
Old Dutch Cleanser, after top can, 8 cans, 50c  
5c package Armour's Light House Washing Powder, 16 packages for 50c  
5c can Armour's Light House Cleanser, 16 cans for 50c.

Choice for **50c**  
Basement Gallery

## FOR THURSDAY IN THE BASEMENT ECONOMY STORE WE ANNOUNCE AN UNUSUAL ADVANCE SALE OF WOMEN'S PLUSH COATS

Offering Exceptional Values in Three Groups at

**\$14.75 \$19.50 \$23.95**

Even though the thermometer is hovering around the high mark, it won't be long now until the Summer of 1916 will be a memory. The Fall days are just around the corner, and before long it will be time to provide Fall and Winter Apparel.

This sale means much to the woman who will anticipate her later Coat needs. We contracted for these Coats some time ago and were to pay the present market price, it would be utterly impossible to name the very low prices bulletined for tomorrow.

These come in a wide range of the authentic new 1916 Fall and Winter models, three exactly as here illustrated—belted and full loose back styles—of excellent quality seal plush, many trimmed with fur, imitation beaver and nutria. All have guaranteed linings.

**SPECIAL NOTICE**—On payment of 1/4 the purchase price, we will hold any one of these Coats purchased now in our Cold Storage Vaults for later delivery.



## The August Sale of New Furs

Offers you the choicest styles and qualities at savings that range to

Third Floor

**Famous-Barr Co.**  
ENTIRE BLOCK OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at | We Give Eagle Stamps and Redden Fall Books for \$3 in Cash Retail in Missouri or the West | We Give Eagle Stamps and Redden Fall Books for \$3 in Cash

25c Sunbonnets and Sun Hats, 10c

Made of gingham and percale—black shades and neat figures, both light and dark.

Third Floor



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224,160 Real Estate and Want Advertisements were printed in the Post-Dispatch during the first seven months of 1916. 22,160 more than the THREE nearest competitors COMBINED.

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ST. LOUIS, WEDNESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 23, 1916.—PART TWO.

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## That Outing in the Ozarks Or On a Farm Near St. Louis

Can be arranged with little inconvenience. See the offers in the POST-DISPATCH Resort and Country Board columns. First Want Page.

224,160 POST-DISPATCH WANTS were printed during the first seven months of 1916. 22,160 more than were carried by the THREE nearest competitors COMBINED. Phone Your Want.

## MANY BENEFITS ARRANGED TO AID THE POOR BABIES

"Sleeping Beauty" Tonight by 11 Little Workers for Post-Dispatch Fund.

### CHILDREN WELL TRAINED

Several Entertainments and a Bazaar and Carnival to Be Held Next Week.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Previously acknowledged	\$2512 11
Benefit at Shrewsbury Park	1 00
Mrs. Jacobs	02
Shaw, 4522 Greer avenue	02
Shaw, 61 Chestnut street	02
Webster groves	12 49
Shaw, 5020 Niss place	11 00
Blanchard	8 61
Lemonade stand, Missouri and Ann avenues	5 10
Home Class, St. Louis M. E.	2 00
Sunday school	1 00
Ray Pfenner	1 50
Mrs. William C. Hay	2 00
Shaw, 3022 Cherokee street	3 00
Total	\$2565 88

Eleven children, ranging in age from 5 to 11 years, will produce the ever-charming fairy play, "Sleeping Beauty," this evening, at the residence of Mrs. Margaret Culpepper, 325 Chicago street, for the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund. They have been skillfully coached in their respective roles by Mr. Culpepper and bring to their undertaking pronounced talent and the full measure of youthful enthusiasm, so that they are amply prepared to give a thoroughly delightful production. Residents in that section of the city have fallen into line with the children and assured its entire success.

On the evening of Aug. 28 eight children, who are being coached by Mrs. H. S. Lipscomb of 1456 Goodfellow avenue, are to give an entertainment on the lawn of her residence for the benefit of the poor babies. The program is to consist of songs, dances and recitations, for which the youthful company is especially fitted. After the regular program there will be dancing for the older persons present. This event will be the annual endeavor in behalf of the wards of the community by Mrs. Lipscomb and her little friends.

A large group of children, from North and South St. Louis, will unite in a monster benefit entertainment for the

## Children Who Have Found Vacation Pleasure in Raising Funds to Safeguard Poor Babies



Upper group, front row, left to right: Violet Ruth Kern, Cleta La Grange, Alfred La Grange, Hattie Anna Wright, Clarice Wietacker. Second row: Adelle Berkel, Lucille Berkel, Celeste Russell, Katherine Kay, Mary Carmody, Gladys Thomas, Loretta Wright, Alma Fuchs, Rear row: Stephen Ambuster, Colman Downs, Margaret Mullroy, Cleta McCune, Cecelia Edinger, Katherine Richmond, Florence Pratt, Owen Russell, Martin Nolan.

Lower group, front row, left to right: Esther Guben, Gussie Guben, Reva Hortense Lentin. Rear row: Dina Guben, Gene Corby, Wyante Rae, Goldie Weisen.

Milk and Ice Fund on the evening of Aug. 28, on the lawn of Mrs. Harry Clodfelter, 287 North Grand avenue. The features are to be songs and dances, the rehearsals of which are being directed by Miss Anna Lindeman of 2712 South Twelfth street.

### Bazaar and Carnival.

A bazaar and carnival which is being rounded out for the Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund is to be held at the home of Benetta Merrier, 324 Waterman avenue, Sept. 1, in which about a dozen University City children will participate. Ice cream, candy, lemonade and other delicacies will be sold and a fish pond will be conducted. The house will be profusely decorated with crepe paper, bunting and flags. These same children earned \$14 for the benefit of the poor babies last season, and this year they confidently expect to far surpass that sum.

Pupils at the summer term of the Circle School of Dancing and Expression will give their annual entertainment for the benefit of the poor infants at the school, Union boulevard and Easton avenue, on the evening of Aug. 31. The program is notably attractive, including "The pantomime," "Sleeping Beauty," by the younger children, and a cabaret of songs, dances and drills by the older ones. At the conclusion of the program there will be a general dance, for which special preparations will be made for those who delight in the old-fashioned dances.

The Hill Campfire Girls, an organization within the Temple Israel congregation, King's highway and Washington boulevard, have already sold \$14 worth of tickets for a bazaar to be held for the Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund, on the lawn of the residence immediately west of the temple, on the afternoon and evening of Sept. 2. There are about 12 girls interested in this affair and they are giving generously of their time and energy to the arrangements. Tickets are being sold rapidly and the other details, such as arrangement for booths and the articles which will be on sale, are progressing well. They will sell candy, cake, ice cream, lemonade and various articles, as well as conduct novelty attractions in booths. Not the least part of their scheme is the decorative plans, and while these are not fully developed.

## VENUS 10¢ PENCIL

17 Black degrees and 2 Copying for every known purpose

### Blue Band VELVET 5¢ PENCIL

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## LOSE HOME THAT B. C. STEVENS SOLD THEM BY FRAUD

Kaufmanns Bought County House Not Knowing It Was Mortgaged, and Are Evicted.

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### Others Failed

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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

## Osteopathy and Infantile Paralysis.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Infantile paralysis seems to be quite a mystery to medical practice after years of honest effort to understand and treat the distressing disease. Infantile paralysis is supposed to be caused by a germ which has a special affinity for the nerve cells in the anterior part of the gray matter of the spinal cord. Some cells are entirely destroyed while others are only poisoned.

Bacteriologists, or germ students, tell us pure blood is the very best germicide known. It is the only germ killer which will not destroy the tissues containing the germ. Disease-producing germs thrive on stagnant blood, which only becomes stagnant when its flow becomes obstructed. The flow of blood revives the poisoned cells by carrying off the poison and bringing nourishment to the cells.

If blood circulating in the body is the best germ killer, it is reasonable to suppose that to re-establish the normal circulation of the blood to an affected part will restore such part to a normal condition, or as nearly normal as can be gotten, all depending on the extent of the damage previously done. In cases of infantile paralysis were treated immediately on the principle of re-establishing the normal circulation of the blood, a cure can be effected in most cases. Even cases of long standing are benefited.

The osteopathic system of treatment of infantile paralysis very thoroughly accomplishes the re-establishment of the circulation of the blood which flushes the spinal tract, thereby draining and feeding the cells affected. This same principle applies to any paralysis. Clinical evidence shows the favorable results of this system of treatment all over the country. M. A. CREHORE.

**How Texas Deals With Lawbreakers.**  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Next to the common understanding that nobody shall be hanged for murder committed in St. Louis, no such other monkey-doodle business is indulged in as in the city's attempt to stop liquor-law violations and close up the so-called lid clubs.

The place where the prizefighter Roman was shot and killed Sunday night has been raided 35 times, says your news account of the event. What a travesty on the purposes of law and order.

The following is a clipping from a Houston (Tex.) newspaper. This is the way they go about it in the South:

"Fines in the sum of \$300 were today imposed on E. B. Moy, who pleaded guilty to two charges in Judge Roy B. Campbell's court. The defendant was one of the proprietors whose places of business were raided Saturday night. Together with the costs he must pay \$441 in order to regain his freedom."

**LAW AND ORDER.**  
The Mill Creek Sewer.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
I want to congratulate you on the very fine editorial in one of your last week papers, regarding the Mill Creek sewer tax, as ever tax, as you always have been, ready to fight for justice and the Mill Creek sewer is not only a public sewer, but the biggest piece of robbery ever perpetrated in St. Louis, which is my native place, and I regret to say, I have seen some pretty rotten deals pulled off here. The Mayor remarked it was too bad the storm happened so close to election time. I am not overly religious, but I believe the Almighty hand sent and directed that storm, and so there will be several thousand who will scratch Mayor Kiel's name for an office that he may run for, as, like myself, they would rather give some one else a chance at the "long green," and I think all who had a hand in that dirty job will some day be asking themselves, "Was the game worth the candle?"

**AY OLD SUBSCRIBER.**  
Help for Prisoners.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
Will you aid me in my endeavors to secure friendly correspondents for the inmates of our prisons? No doubt many of your readers are in sympathy with the new prison reform movement—that of educating the prisoners to plan wisely for their future. Busy men and women who are interested in this phase of social service cannot do better than join a society that would put them in direct letter touch with unfortunate men who have broken one of our laws.

The O. E. Library League, 1207 Q street, N. W., Washington, D. C., is doing splendid work along these lines. Membership almost five thousand, and if we can enroll 5000 men and women who would devote a couple of hours a week to writing educational letters to prisoners, we would be on the way to solve the problem of second offenders. Membership fee is nominal. Information can be obtained by addressing the librarian, Dr. H. N. Stokes. Cordially yours, D. L. WHELE.

25 Bradhurst Avenue, New York.

## BEANSPELLING SPELLBINDING.

He has spilled the beans.

The reference of the Philadelphia North American, Bull Moose organ, is more especially to Mr. Hughes' course in California, where delicate relations exist between the Progressives and the old-line Republicans. It sums up, however, Mr. Hughes' accomplishments as a 100 per cent candidate, up to the middle of the fourth week of his active campaign.

It must not be supposed that this is any ordinary bean-spilling—any bean-spilling on an inconsiderable, small-family scale. The whole political firmament was filled with flying beans, leaving only a few to rattle around in the container when the candidate slipped.

He did not intend to be a bean-spiller instead of a spellbinder. He did not intend to disappoint anyone and least of all the great independent-voting portion of the public which has retained so favorable an impression of him since his public service in the years prior to 1910. Doubtless on the 10th and 11th of last June he believed as firmly as any of us that it was about to be an exceptional campaign, characterized by unusual elevation in discussion, appeals to judgment rather than prejudice, old-fashioned courtesy between contestants.

That it has all turned out so differently from the intention of an undoubtedly well-intentioned man is due partly to circumstances, partly to himself and partly to an almost unexampled run of hard luck.

His party was without political capital and without the credit to obtain any. It was insolvent. He was not to blame for its utter destitution in assets and issues, but he was to blame for trying to present on the stump a composite outline of all the diverse and unpleasant attitudes of mind in which his principal supporters were entering on the campaign.

He started out to make his utterances reflect Mr. Roosevelt's consuming jealousy of Mr. Wilson—even Mr. Roosevelt's phrases and campaign mannerisms—and the ideas of patronage mongers like Mr. Penrose; to establish a community of interests between the George W. Perkinses and the Senator A. B. Falls; to mollify the hyphenates and at the same time preach undiluted pseudo-Americanism.

His assembling of grotesque materials east of the Mississippi had as its net result the raising of an issue as to whether a horse doctor had really been placed on the roster of the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

As he penetrated further west—unfortunate Mr. Hughes!—a great industrial turning point came with the decisive issue in the railroad dispute. A new phase of the foreign war developed to absorb such small remaining national interest as was not concentrated with unprecedented intensity on the threatening domestic emergency. Mr. Hughes has been crowded from the center of the stage until he is lost to view in the wings.

With an epidemic of infantile paralysis raging, Dr. Hughes has followed his unlucky star to remotest America and is wiring from towns of outlandish names a suggestion of rosewater treatments.

At one end of the continent is his rival, with the eyes of 100,000,000 Americans on him while he grapples with the most vital and weighty problems that have arisen in a generation to affect our relations as a homogeneous people. At the other end is Mr. Hughes talking platitudes and grappling hopelessly with the problem of how he can pussyfoot around so as to keep both the perpetrators and the victims of the crime of 1912 in line for the ticket.

**NEW FREEDOM INDORSED.**  
The day has passed when we had to restrict what was legitimate in order to crush out what was illegitimate and unfair and illegal—Mr. Hughes, discussing monopolies. It passed something more than three years ago, when Mr. Wilson and the new freedom were inaugurated.

**FOR BETTER ARBITRATION MACHINERY.**  
At least a part of the great railroad systems of the country are inclined to accept the President's plan of strike settlement. Acceptance by a part would mean either ultimate acceptance by all important systems or a steep so incomplete, should a strike come, as not to deprive the public of all railroad service.

The need for more perfect Federal legislation to meet such crises has been made most obvious. Several ways of minimizing their disturbances are possible aside from objectionable measures making arbitration compulsory.

One way would be to make a strike or lockout illegal on an interstate utility until the completion of an official inquiry into the causes.

If it is true that there is to be a German army of youths aged 17, let the allies beware. What the youth of 17 lacks in strength and experience he makes up in ferocity and a love of gunning.

**A QUESTION OF ADEQUATE PUNISHMENT.**

To sentence a man to stay at home with his wife for two years is not sufficient punishment for homicide in North Carolina, according to the authorities there. This is expressly decided in a case where a convicted slayer has been bound out instead to a third party who bid for his labor, the slayer's wife having put in a bid on her own account. The authorities doubted whether the convict would actually be undergoing a penalty if living at home.

That would depend, we should think, on all the circumstances and conditions of a given case, including the temperament, tempers and relationships of the parties. Conceivably it might prove excessive and in the purview of the Con-

stitution. On the other hand, public policy requires that consideration be had for the welfare of the home, and this institution is sometimes seriously threatened by the presence of the husband.

## SALARY WASTE OF \$1,000,000 A YEAR.

St. Louisans have their own estimates as to the extent to which the city hall is overmanned. An official quality and presumptive accuracy attaches to the estimate of Chairman Thomas H. Rogers of the Efficiency Board. He shows how the municipal salary list has increased from \$3,500,000 to \$7,500,000 in 13 years. The number who now make their living by serving the city in some capacity he places at 7000, nearly one out of every 100 in population.

Particularly important is his judgment that \$1,000,000 could be saved annually without impairment of any service now rendered by the city. That is almost three times the annual amount of the mill tax and in a comparatively short time would equal the arrears of that tax for which the city has waited a decade.

This is no time to tolerate a crippling of the efficiency system. It should be extended and strengthened. The elimination of the unit from city employ would speedily reduce the scandalous waste in salaries. Placing appointment, retention and promotion in municipal service on a strict basis of merit would remove the incentive to overman the departments.

The Missouri Democratic platform is lacking in its neglect to condemn nepotism. Its candidates should all be pledged against this abuse of power.

## SAVING THE BIRDS.

There will come before the United States Senate within a few days a treaty negotiated between the United States and Canada for the protection of migratory birds.

Under the terms of this treaty, which has just been signed by Secretary Lansing and the British Ambassador, neither country will permit the killing of insectivorous birds, the taking of any bird for its plumage or a longer shooting season in any one year of more than three and one-half months. It is the design of both countries to stop the slaughter of game birds in the breeding season, and they covenant with one another not to permit any shooting season to extend into the spring beyond March 10.

It is to be assumed that there will be opposition to such a magnificent plan for the preservation of birds as this treaty presents from Senator Reed of Missouri, who first opposed the prohibition against importing the feathers of birds of plumage into the United States, and then led the fight on the appropriation for the enforcement of the Federal migratory bird law.

However, with the country almost solidly against him, and his fight on the second appropriation showing a loss of nine votes from that which he made on a similar appropriation two years ago, it cannot much matter whether the Senator appears in his accustomed role this time or not.

There is more interest in the attitude of Senator Stone, whose sympathy as chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations would probably mean the ratification of the treaty at the present session of Congress.

Bro. Meeker is not lining up with Bro. Hughes in the matter of suffrage.

## REVISION AND THE GERRYMANDER.

A curious reason for opposing a constitutional convention is that of certain Republicans, who point out that delegates would be chosen by senatorial districts and that such districts have been gerrymandered in the interest of the Democrats.

If there is ever public action in which party lines should be forgotten, it is in the choice of revision delegates. A union of all parties in support of a man of especial qualifications for the responsible work would be the approved course in many districts. If the choice should be so directed as to render the convention representative of the best thought and legal ability of the entire State, what difference would the long-sided arrangement of the districts make? Emphasis on partisanship would only result in a partisan draft of a Constitution whose inevitable fate would be that of the proposed Constitution lately submitted in New York State. A convention actuated by the spirit of the Board of Freeholders who framed the new charter for St. Louis would make a revision worthy of popular approval.

These Republicans seem to look on membership in the convention as a part of the State patronage to be distributed to the faithful. Have they thought that a new Constitution might provide new guarantees against gerrymanders?

Holland appears to have no fear of lack of preparedness for war, so far as numbers go. She has officially recognized birth control.

## "BACK TO NATURE."

It appears to be ultra-fashionable to get back to nature, and soon it may be merely fashionable. Greek dances and wood nymphs are features of very "smart" entertainments. The sartorial modes reflect the tendency to simplicity, paucity and brevity. That is to say, the sartorial modes for women. Increasing comfort, sanity and wholesomeness mark their apparel. There is less gauding at what they may or may not wear, and their warm weather clothes have nowhere been the subject of serious or vulgar protests outside of East St. Louis.

We make no cavil at the back to nature movement as far as it goes, but we rise to remark that it leaves man suffering the same old misfit, stuffy habiliments that have bound, choked, choked, smothered, burdened, pinched, warped and otherwise tortured, distorted, distressed, discomfited, irritated and rendered him an object of ridicule and woe time out of mind. If a man so much as rolls up his cuffs or makes a move to take off his agonizing collar in polite society everybody is aghast. As for loosening his belt!

Why confine the good old Greek streak to women only?

Taft did not recognize Huerta. We do not believe any American President, of any party, would have recognized the murderer of Madero.



ANOTHER ARGUMENT FOR HOME RULE.

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH  
by Clark McAdams

## IF.

(With Apologies to Kipling.)

If I had been in Wilson's place when murder  
Restored the bloody Artec to his throne;  
If that poor land had called, and I had heard her,  
When Pancho Villa held her for his own;  
If I had had the Kaiser on the wireless  
The day the Lusitania was sunk;  
If I had foud the hyphens here so tireless,  
And caught Boy-Ed and Papen blowing punk;  
If I had gone to Vera Cruz and landed,  
With conquest fairly beckoning me on;  
If England had not done as I demanded,  
And Dr. Bernstorff had begun to yawn;  
If I had sent the army after Villa,  
And it had not brought back Carranza's head;  
If I had fought my battles with a pillow,  
When everybody else was using lead;  
If I had heard the tariff barons weeping,  
And asking only what they always had;  
If I had seen the farm loan sharks all heaping  
Their money up to make their children glad;  
If I had had the cotton gamblers gambling,  
And had the children working in the mills;  
If I had had the country people scrambling  
For that with which to pay their meager bills;  
If I had had a chance to go to battle  
And make of politics a holy cause;  
If I had heard the old fool musket rattle,  
And seen a chance to win a few burrars;  
If I had substituted for dispassion  
The usual war dance and scurry tricks,  
According to the politician's fashion—  
Then you'd be in a devil of a fix.

The President will make himself unpopular with the railroad presidents if he doesn't quit pointing out that some of the roads have already conceded the eight-hour day and do not seem to have suffered by it.

We will give Mr. Zipp a tip. The Catholics can no more be gotten together in a political party than the Protestants can. We got our lesson in that sort of thing in the Thirty Years War.

If the British sea fighters who won the battle off the Falkland Islands are to get a bounty of \$25 each, how much do you suppose it will cost those who participated in the Jutland fight?

Germany is to have butter after this only three days a week. We are afraid Germany did not know which side her bread was buttered on when butter was plentiful.

Jep Howe, who is our greatest political efficient, is an illustration of how popular efficiency would be over here.

It looks now as if Mr. Hughes would become famous as the man who knocked the gyroscope off the bean pot.

The Bumanians seem to have about made up their minds who is going to win the war.

Maybe this will teach us to pay more attention to the election of a Lieutenant-Governor.

## IN SIGNS.

On a wagon, Cape Girardeau:

Lan mors sharend  
old stove replid

A buffet sign over in Madison:

For Sandwiches Call  
the Waiter Chicken.

In Palestine, Texas:

Feed J. C. Price Groceries

Mr. Hughes spoke at Los Angeles yesterday. You know what he said.

## BILL PAINTER

Bill Painter, on a Summer's day,  
Discovered Major was away.

Said Bill, "Here's where the country drops  
A few of them dern city cops!

"Them cops ain't right. They ought to rate  
The same as marshals in the state.

"They ought to give their beards a chance,  
And wear one gallus on their pants.

"Take Carrollton's town marshal. He's  
My idee. Merges with the trees—

"Cain't tell him from a bramble patch  
When they's a thief he wants ter catch.

"A fig for them fine traffic cops!  
More overalls, more red boot tops—

"Less fashion plates an' more homespun,  
Is what they'll have when I git done."

Bill Painter thought of all the show  
On town cops make! The golden glow

Of buttons and buttons by the road,  
And what the tendency forbode.

He thought of crime, at home unknown,  
In town a giant overgrown;

Of midnight here and midnight there,  
And other things that need repair.

"Strikes me," he said, "them duds the cause!  
The cities need some plain hawkshaurs!"

Bill Painter, on a Summer's day,  
Called his powers into play.

All cops in uniforms were fired,  
And bearded marshals were acquired.

Not one proud dude in service still,  
"Nox watch the crime wave eb!" says Bill.

## ANSWERS TO QUERIES

## HEALTH HINTS.

READER.—In cases of "grinding of the little emery wheel," but the operation may not be entirely satisfactory. Ordinarily the grinding is not painful—only disagreeable—and is soon over. You might try phonograph dental department of Washington University.

J. P. K.—Injection for chronic diarrhea: New milk, 1 pint; castor oil, 1 gill; molasses, half pint; salt, 1 ounce; laudanum, 1 dram. Mix and inject, and the bowels will retain. Physicians are now treating chronic diarrhea with castor oil, given hypodermically, (the capable doctor in regard to the other matters you mention.)

## LAW POINTS.

J. P.—Have talk with the clerk of the court in which the divorce was granted, city hall phone.

READER.—Phone License Collector, city hall phone.

MRS. M. B.—If the fence and also posts you mention were your own and on your property, you have a good cause for an action for damages, or may prosecute your neighbor; if you put same on her land she had perfect right to remove it.

M. A.—The decisions of Missouri are so unsatisfactory, no title would be reported perfect without the joint consent of husband and wife. Even should the married woman's title be mentioned be firmly established, it would not affect husband's curtesy prior to when that act went into effect.

CONSTANT.—Property being in name of wife who desires to mortgage the same, husband need not sign the note, but his signature to deed of trust will be required, otherwise loan could not be obtained. While it has been decided in a certain case that a wife could mortgage her realty without husband's signature, still, the decisions are so conflicting that the only safe thing for a person loaning the money to do is to insist upon husband's signing deed, also in event of a sale by her. A deed of trust does not prevent a sale of any real estate, which may be sold if a purchaser is willing to assume the same.

## SOME PUNISHABLE NUISANCES.

JOSEPHINE.—(1) Allowing garbage to decay on premises. (2) Neglectable waste, filth or refuse of any kind in any private alley, yard or area. (3) Water occasioned by leakage from hydrants, water pipes, sewer pipes, cisterns, wells, gutters, drains, rain spouts or seepage from surrounding earth. (4) Growth of weeds to height of over 1 foot. (5) Lots containing offensive water. (6) All defective plumbing and sewerage. (7) Burying animals in city limits. (8) In all cases phone Board of Health.

## THE CIVIL WAR NAVIES.

X. F. E.—Judge A. O. Wright of Jacksonville, Fla., delivered in Charleston an illustrated lecture on the Confederate navy. It was the lecturer's opinion that history has made too little of the heroic achievements of our Confederate fighters of the Confederacy, who were at the start without any proper ships and without facilities for building them or obtaining supplies and equipment. Opposed to them was one of the most powerful navies in the world. To show the difference between two branches of the Confederate service, the lecturer treated in history. Judge Wright compared the written record of Gen. Robert E. Lee with that of his brother, Sidney Smith Lee. The latter is scarcely known in history, although Judge Wright declared his career prior to the break of the war was as brilliant as that of his more distinguished brother, and that he made a fine record in the Confederate navy. 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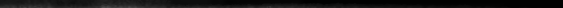
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## A Minute Movie

"SEE here, where are the perils in this peril picture?" inquired Simon Blatz, president of the Miracles Film Co., who used to be in the clothing business. "How do you expect to fill theaters this way? Kill a few people. Get some excitement into it. And why not a little comedy? Here we have the three fattest policemen in any studio and not a one working. Get them into a picture."

"I will give you an original idea. Suppose that the father of Iphigenia hires these policemen to catch the stranger who has been making love to her. He approaches the house, and when they start toward him the stranger runs. The three heavyweights pursue him. One falls into an open manhole, but the other two keep on. A second tumbles over a baby carriage and the nurse gives chase. Then a crowd joins in and you fall over everything. That is the way to put some ginger in this picture."

"But," suggested the director, "that chase idea has been used before, I think."

"Never, never!" exclaimed Mr. Blatz, who is an authority on the pictorial art. "I have never seen a policeman fall over a baby carriage. May be there have been some little races, but nothing like this. You can have the policeman who disappears in the manhole washed down to an open cut on the edge of the park. Just as he comes out the stranger passes, still pursued. Then the missing policeman grasps him in a wet hug. He is arrested and found to be a burglar or anything else you like. But get some punch into it."

The episode of the fat policemen was duly put on. The silliest of the three disappeared into the manhole, and the chase went merrily enough. The stranger finally reached the open cut and waited for his captor. No captor appeared. There had been a miscalculation as to the girth of that party, who was wedged in the manhole. He was not released until a wrecking crew removed a section of the street. So the film was abandoned. But it had served its purpose. Mr. Blatz was appeased, and the normal business of imperiling Iphigenia could be resumed. Which is another story.

SOMETIMES when a family lays up money for a rainy day their relatives from the drouth-stricken district come along and borrow it.

## Then the Tiger Left.

GENERAL THOMAS H. BARRY said on the reviewing stand during Chicago's preparedness parade: "A parade 120,000 strong! A glorious spectacle! A spectacle meaning that we shall really prepare."

"A nation unprepared must bluff, and it isn't every nation that can bluff like the Chinese Jackass."

"The Chinese tell a story, you know, about a tiger that was led by a monkey to a field where a fat jackass was grazing."

"The tiger, who had never seen a jackass before, licked his chops, but the jackass looked up languidly at the monkey and said:

"'Friend monkey, heretofore you have always brought me two tigers. How is it that you bring me only one today?'"

"The bluff was so excellent that the tiger made off as fast as he could go."

—Washington Star.

## His One Crooked Act

A NUMBER of lawyers were in the Circuit Court room at Muncie, awaiting the arrival of another attorney, so they might proceed with the case, when the conversation drifted around to the subject of honesty in public office, the so-called graft trials there being then on the minds of the most of those in the group.

"To illustrate my entire honesty in public office," said Will F. White, "I can and hereby do point with considerable pride to my service as Postmaster of Granville, a town of about 100 inhabitants, north of Muncie, when I was a mere youth."

"When I retired from that office, with all its emoluments, which then amounted to about \$2 a day, the Post-office Department discovered I had made a mistake in my accounts and had overpaid the Government \$2. This sum was promptly sent to me by draft."

"What did you do with it?" asked somebody in the company.

"I spent it to obtain my present legal education," replied White.

"Blessed the law college at that," commented Francis Shaw, the court reporter, dryly.—Indianapolis News.

AFTER a man gets bald, headed and loses interest in his necktie he has no use for a mirror except when he shaves.

## Cruel.

MRS. WILLIS: Wake up, John! Mr. Willis: What's the matter? Mrs. Willis: I hear a harsh, grating noise. I think someone is trying the door.

Mrs. Willis: Nonsense. It's some rat trying that cake you made today.—Life.

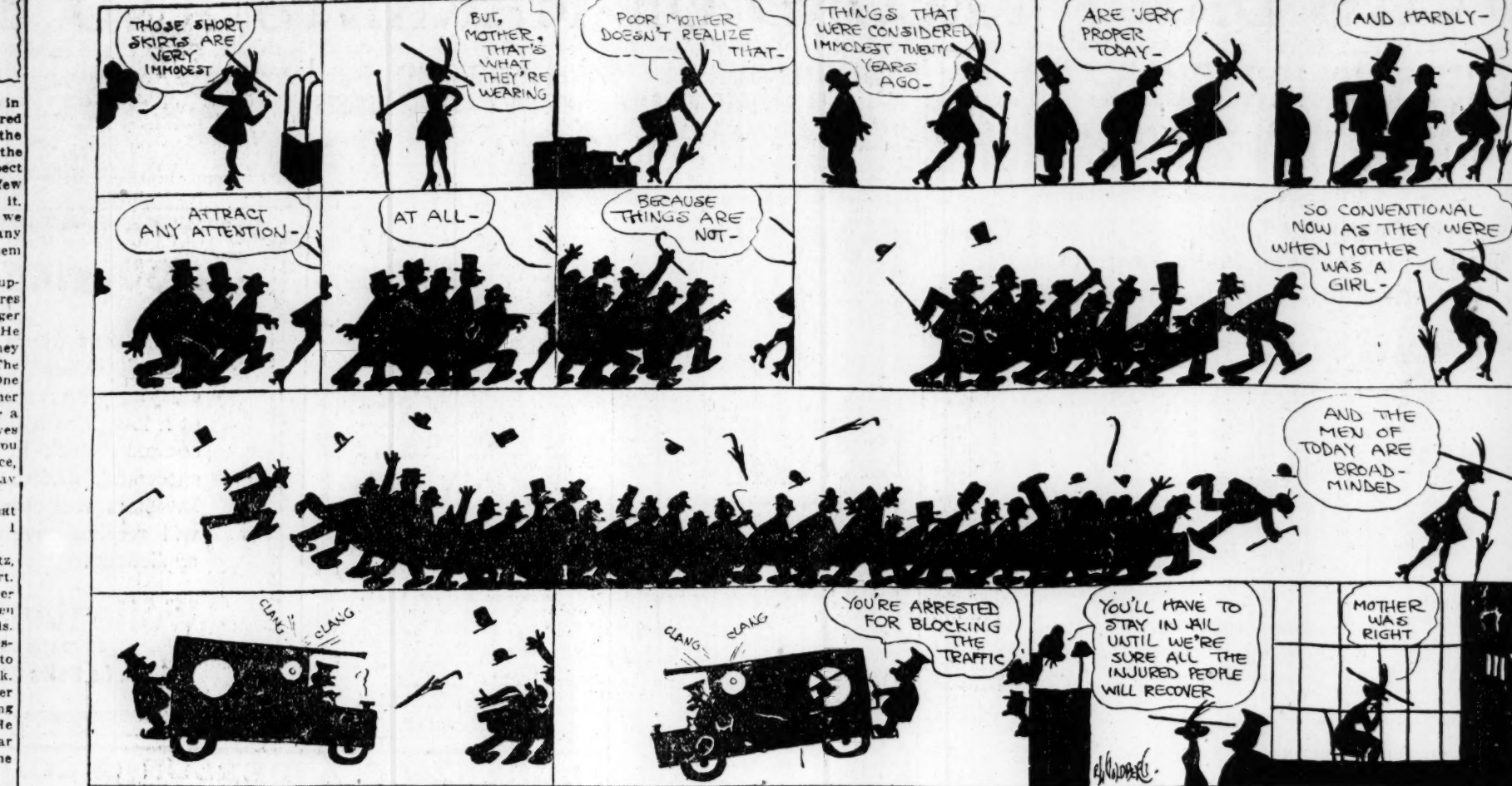
## Got a Frost.

LOVE makes you better under suspicious conditions. I voted my wife under a tropical moon. "That's where I made my mistake," I proposed at Glacier Lake.

## Huh!

IT says here that a man was drowned while taking a bath in a bathtub," remarked the Old Fog as he glanced up from his newspaper.

"Well," replied the Grouch, "some people will insist on experimenting with things they do not know anything about."



## MUTT AND JEFF—IT'S GETTING SO A GUY HAS TO WORK FOR A LIVING!—BY BUD FISHER.



## S'MATTER POP—EASY TO CUT IT, MUCH MORE DIFFICULT TO PART IT!—BY C. M. PAYNE.



## Must Have Rolled.

FEEL out of bed last night. "Is that so? Did you sleep too near where you get in?" "No. Too near where I fell out."

## Might Sell.

LOTS of the girls are joining training camps. "So I see," said the manufacturer. "Guess I'd better rush some khaki-colored face powder on the market."

## His Choice.



Most of us have no car for noise except when we make it ourselves.

## Danger at Every Point

A WRITER, traveling on foot through the Southern mountains, studying the people for literary purposes, came upon a man of whom he sought information as to the location of a certain cabin, where he had been advised to put up for the night. "You-all goin' there?" asked the man. "Well, Tom's a first-class man, take him just right, but he's mighty queer."

"What do you mean?"

"It's like this: Tom'll be settin' out-side most likely, an' he'll see you-all comin'; he'll take a good look at you-all, an' if you-all don't suit him he may set the dawg on you. Ef he don't, and you gits to talkin' with him, and say anything he don't like, he may throw you down an' tromp on you-all. But ef you-all's too careful in your talk, on the other hand, he's liable to git suspicious an' take you-all for a spy an' use his gun fast an' listen to explanations afterward. But it ain't no use tryin' to cilt by without stoppin'. Ef you-all was to try that, it would be all up, for he'd think you-all was proud an' haughty. Ef you'll wants to come outer the mountain whole, don't go past Tom's cabin without stoppin', whatever you do."—New York Times.

## Whisky.

SIR VICTOR HORSLEY, the London brain surgeon, devotes his leisure to the study of alcohol and has come to the conclusion that mankind should be teetotal.

An American doctor, lunching with Sir Victor, said apropos of the latter's alcohol investigations: "Well, have you found out what whisky is yet?"

"Certainly," was the reply. "It is the most popular poison in the world."

## THE FLIVVER.



## Ten Quarts a Day.

THE matter-of-fact English, as we sometimes call them, contrive to get their jokes even out of situations dealing with the war. For example, an English milkman had just finished his morning's round and was returning home when he was addressed by an en-larging Sergeant. "Well, my man," said the Sergeant, "would you like to serve the King? It would be the making of you."

"That I would," said the milkman, very excited. "How much does he take a day?"

## Never on College Campus.

EMPLOYER: Young man, I'm afraid you have deceived me. You told me when I employed you that you were a college graduate.

New Clerk: Beg pardon, but what reason have you for doubting it, sir?

Employer: Why, you just said in regard to a matter connected with the business that I knew more about it than you did.

## He "Aked" for It.

MORE stories are told about Sir Herbert Tree than about almost any other public man. Here is a good one, exemplifying the ready answer for which he is so justly famed.

One day when he was coming out of the Garrick Club a man, whom he did not know from Adam, approached and, with a sweeping bow, said: "Excuse me, sir, but they tell me some pretty well-known folk belong to this club. Are you any one of importance?"

Sir Herbert Tree looked the questioner coldly up and down. "I don't really think I can be or I wouldn't be seen talking to you," he said icily.

## Basis of Charge.

PATIENT: But, doctor, you are not asking \$5 for merely taking a clunder out of my eye?

Specialist: Er—no. My charge is for removing a foreign substance from the corner.

## Nobody Dead

IN a city in the South the mansions of the ancient aristocracy have fallen to the low condition of boarding houses in which the survivors of the old families eke out a life of poverty. But in the eyes of those who remember the older order, and in the eyes of the old generation of negroes, these ladies maintain unimpaired their highest estate.

Before one of the houses these rolled up one day a hearse. A negro mammy watched the preparations. A passer-by asked her, solicitously: "Somebody dead, mammy?"

"No, honey," answered mammy. "It ain't nobody tall—it's just a boarder."

—New York Evening Post.

## Looking for Bargains.

DOCTOR: Have you a pain in your stomach, or one in your side? Patient: Which would be cheapest?

## A Hint?

MISS BRIGHT (to her small brother): Willie, put Mr. Borleigh's hat down; you might damage it—besides, he will want it in a few minutes.

## She Ought To.

DO you know the nature of an oath, madame?"

"Well, I ought to, sir. We've just moved and my husband has been laying the carpets."

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## Undeniably True.

AMONG a squad of policemen who were being examined on their knowledge of ambulance work was a certain Irishman with whom the doctor had the following colloquy:

Doctor: What would you do to a man who had a cut on his forehead?

Policeman: Sure, sorr, I'd bathe it with warm, soft water.

Doctor: What do you mean by soft water?

Policeman: Och! Just soft water, sorr, wet water.

Doctor: And what is hard water?

Policeman: Ice, sorr.

## Not a Lottery.

FLIM: I say, do you honestly believe that marriage is a lottery?

Fiam: Well, I should say not! Why, man alive, in a lottery one is supposed to stand some chance.

## Something Finer.

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## Damp.

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"I should say so. It's really so damp the people can't raise anything but umbrellas."

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